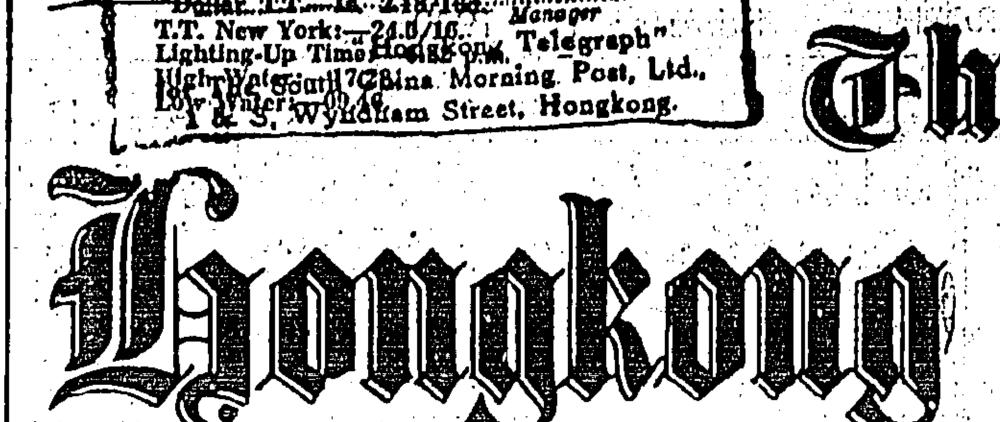
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Nazis Fled Ashore, Opened Fire On Destroyer With Rifles

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LONDON, FEB. 18 (REUTER).—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED IN BERLIN THAT SEVEN GERMANS WERE KILLED IN THE ALTMARK INCIDENT AND THAT ANOTHER IS MISSING, PRESUMED DROWNED. FIVE WERE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

About 150 of the 250 of the Altmark's prisoners, who were taken to hospital at Leith, were able to leave to-day to return to their homes. A dramatic account of the boarding party's exploit was given to

"Reuter" to-day.

The officer in charge of the party leaped eight feet from the Cossack to the Altmark, waving a revolver and shouting "Come on,

Rescued Briton Tells Of Ordeal

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Interviewed by the BBC, one the Altmark, to-night broadcast a short account of the terrible sailors.

, and scarce. The daily menu ran as follows:

sugar, or milk. Dinner at 2.30 p.m. One pint of the Altmark incident. soup or tinned pointoes and meat, of black bread and another cup of

sugarless and milkless tea. That was all.

Cards Kept Spirits Alive When the desperate attempt at

put on bread and water for two days. has so many claims on our respect as up their spirits by starting card ties on the spot put themselves in the schools, contract and auction bridge wrong. and cribbage all attracting devotees. There was little exercise possible, although they managed to play leap frog. But they had to be careful not to jump too high otherwise they got a nasty crack on the head.

Naxi Doctor Landed The rescued sailor closed his tall

for his kindness and humanitarian "If ever I met a white man it was

that doctor," he declared, adding: judgment in the least, says the paper. "He was informed that it appeared might be drawn, into the war and to thank him. He bandaged up our naval rating last night."

Relished The Job

One of the released prisoners,

vious that the Germans had not the stomach to face the brave and Another ex-prisoner, George John-Newton Beach crew by the Com-"unarmed merchanishing" has called mander of the Graf Spee and by the considerable astonishing the Lon-Commander of the Altmark to the don.

commander stated among other Allmark in Lloyd's tigulater of high of Tolegraphic and Wireless Comwish to have peaceful relations with On the other hand, in the June, munication at Berne, a German brought into a West Country port.

follow me!" LIKE FRIGHTENED RABBITS

The Germans scuttled like frightened rabbits and left the ship as hurriedly as they could get overboard. They took positions on high rocks and opened fire blindly, wounding one man in the shoulder.

It was then that the British fired in retaliation.

Among those still in hospital are about 70 Lascars, who are expected to be discharged to-morrow.

STILL AGROUND

The Altmark is still aground with about 100 Germans of the British sailors freed from aboard. She is being guarded by Norwegian warships.

A Norwegian doctor went on board when the British conditions under which the left and treated the wounded Germans, three of whom Nazis kept over 300 British have been sent ashore to hospital.

He said the food was small BEST TRADITIONS UPHELD

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- "It was in the best traditions. Breakfast at 7 a.m. Three thin of Nelson and an action that was fully, justified," says both pieces of black bread; tea with no public and Press opinion in Britain to-day in connection with

After recounting the story of Tea at 5.30 p.m. Three thin pieces the rescue of British sailors, which it calls a "heartening piece of news," the "Sunday Times" says that it is regrettable that we should have to do anymutiny was discovered they were all thing to affront a country which utiny was discovered they were an ut on bread and water for two days. has so many claims on our respect as The British suilors tried to keep Norway, but the Norwegian authorities has starting card ties on the spot put themselves in the

Norwegians Criticised They had no business under international law to allow Norweglan waters to be used for taking British prisoners to Germany.

Why did Norway allow them to There was also a system of barter, use these waters and why did the Norwegian Minister against titude. These circles were hitherto Towards the end tobacco was so Norwegian authorities tell the British the failure of the Norwegian an absolute minority, but it has often on stories from soldiers returnscarce that it was selling at £1 a destroyer commander that there were authorities to establish the been experienced that a change in ing from the front, and partly pound, and a box of matches cost no British prisoners on the Altmark? presence of between 300 and 400 public sentiment has been able to dis- on appreciation of Russia's vast Norwegian Government that the whole of British public opinion sup- Altmark when she was scarched the conflict over the English violation by praising the Nazi doctor on board ports H.M.S. Cossack's action. The British Press also considers "The Norwegian Minister was asked the activists sentiments. that the Nazi protest has not a leg to to obtain urgently an explanation of "For here is a situation which all predictions were not fulfilled. stand on. The squeal that has gone the circumstances which have given Swedes, without exception, want to up from Germany does not alter our rise to this complaint.

Time To Laugh

Aubrey Jenkins, of the Doric Star, British action has aroused misgivings told a thrilling story of the bravery in view of the difficulties the Ameriand during of the men from the Cos- can nations have experienced in matters of a naval'character, says the

LONDON. Feb. 18 (Reuter) .-- Mr. taken off the (leng sines and press reckless sallors. One German Winston Churchill, the First Lord of viously imprisoned in the Altmark, Thirisday evolung. standing alongside me raised a the Admiralty, is expected to make a to longy that there were some fill) or

Astonishing Claim ston, of Newton Beach, produced LONDON, Yeb, in (Hepler).—Fire copies of a statement made to the Corman claim that the Alimant is all

. It is authoritatively politica out tha The statement by the Graf Apera there is no trace of any vessel called PLEASE Turn To Page 7. | published by the International Union | warship.

Britain Protests

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -The Foreign Office states:

"Lord Halifax lodged a complaint with the come a stronger effort to make the British prisoners aboard the

lat Bergen.

Norwegian Government had, in this of war." seas invoke legal protection for their ships, it is time to laugh.

Solventher that the Government felt that the case against HUNGARIAN SHIP this particular ship was such that they were justified in pressing that the Alimark should be interned."

Strong Note To Norway

ronsons, confirmed by British subjects pistol to shoot one of the bearding statement in the House of Commons 100 Hyllsheys shining with 100 Hollship to be subject bombed the Finnish troops and party, but he was not fast enough," on the Altmark capture, been living under intelegable condi- to polled inquities, it was announced. tions.

> The Althart was also credibly bas lieved to possess offensive armaments. Ship's Resord Well Known The record of the Altmark must lieve been well-known to the Norwe-PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

the English nation but owing to your 1000, list of const and ship stations vessel named Altmark appears as a

Alliance?

Reported Approach To The Allies

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (Domei). — The "Folketz Dagbritt" says that the | Finnish Government is now making earnest efforts to conclude a military agreement with Britain and France.

The paper reports that the Finnish Premier, Dr. Riti, and the Finnish Foreign Minister, M. Tanner, will shortly visit London to ask for further assistance.

Swedish Rojection Of Appeal because it tended to prejudice Bweden's neutrality.

Informed political quarters, however, understand that Sweden's neutral policy will become all the more difficult_since_Sweden_is_in_a_posi-. tion to relay the supply of arms to Finland. Some circles understand kong. that Britain will so regulate her supply of meat, rubber and oil to Sweden as to make the latter extend positive assistance to Finland.

Sweden's "No" To Finland SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" The Danish radical newspaper Politi-

ken says: "The Swedish Premier's 'no' to Finland was certainly not an casy 'no'."

states: side of these circles who insisted on yesterday direct intervention in Finland, will

Swedish Government change its at- on official communiques, partly lodge the Swedish Government.

to His Majesty's Government that the which might make Sweden a theatre

IN TROUBLE

British Capture

LONDON Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The with a cargo of manganese, has been

Finland Seeking Military

MONDAY,

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (Domei) .- The Swedish Government to-day officially confirmed that the Finnish request for military aid has been rejected

Since the outbreak of the Soviet-Finnish dispute Sweden has been firmly refusing to send regular troops to Finland avoiding involvement la the war though financial and aumanitarian assistance nas ocea

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 18 (UP).-

"It has evoked a deep feeling in Sweden, which is divided between

inner desires and realistic considera-

"Nevertheless, it is probable that

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

The silly appeared in the harbour ed.

German stenmer, Moren, 3,000 tons, captured by a British warship and calmly. Seven officers and . 23 men have entrained for an internment camp.

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series, specially taken by Norman Soong, of Hongkong's defence preparations.

photographs will appear daily in the "Telegraph".

AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN in a newly-completed position in Hongkong. It is one of many such units installed during the past year. Expansion continues.



A MACHINE-GUN CREW in action somewhere in Hong-

Reds Confident Victory

MOSCOW, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—A feeling is growing "It can be expected that from the among the public here that the Red Army will over-run

FINNS MAY

FIRE BIG

FORESTS

By HUBERT UEXKUELL

"("UNITED PRESS" STAFF

CORRESPONDENT)

WITH THE FINNISH

NORTHERN ARMIES, Feb. 18

(UP).—Finnish military au-

bilities of setting fire to the thick

The Soviet forces, after hurl-

early in December. They hold

considerably less of Finland than

But the Finns realise that their

greatest "ally"-the weather will soon

be gone and new methods of defence

The longer and warmer days of

Cossacks To Fight?

PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

There are reports that the Soviets !

will have to be ready.

Finland within a few weeks. This confidence is based partly numerical superiority.

Though the authorities probably of Norwegian neutrality will weaken share this optimism, they are not volcing it, possibly because earlier

Soviets Claim Successes SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

MOSCOW, Feb. 17. (Domei).—The Leningrad Command announced that thorities, to-day studied possithe Finnish forces in the Karelian Isthmus have suffered heavy losses as the result of the Soviet general forests on the Eastern Frontier to repulse the Red Army. offensive to-day.

Setting fire to various villages, He said: "Immediately the grap—"New York Times." He continues: "New York Times." He continues: of the Altmark, men from the Cossack fairly leapt to their job. They appeared to relish the venture as they landed on the Altmark's deck with pistols and flashing bayonets.

Imatters of a naval enaracter, says the Washington correspondent of the Washington freighter Soviet forces have occupied many slice the country in two sections and to the Norwegian Government says the Soviet forces have occupied many slice the country in two sections of the Norwegian Government says the Norwegian Government says the Norwegian Government says the Norwegian Government says the Soviet forces have of the Norwegian Government says the Norweg towards Viborg and the area cast of ing thousands of men against the Finnish troops have 'started retreat entire front, the communique claim- their first rush across the border

No striking activity was seen other fronts. Soviet aircraft co-Charged wiftin violation of port operated with their ground forces and they did four weeks ago.

Finnish Communique

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -To-day's communique announces spring will onable the Russians to that Russian pressure on the Karellan | attack day and night, on the ground Isthmus has weakened between the and in the air, while "Finnish" Gulf. of Finland and Vuoksen. superiority on skills and with anow camouslage will mean little. Except for local skirmlshes and vigorous air activity, the day passed

Many tanks were destroyed, In the Suvante district and at Tal- plan to put tens of thousands of PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

Land Mines Work Havoc French Patrol Suffers Casualties

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).— One was killed, three are missing and eight have been seriously injured as the result of Nazi land-

A French patrol suffered these casualties when it penetrated into German territory west of the River

"German companies attacked two French outposts on Saturday. They wère repulsed.

. German, Communique, SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).—To-day's communique issued by the German High Command said: "During patrol operations west of Merzing yesterday several prisoners were brought in.

"As already announced by i special message during the week, during the period February 11 to 17 German naval measures sank 32 ships of 128,174 tons both of British and French registration. A British alrelane of the Blenheim type was also shot down."

Nazi Attack Fails

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-A communique issued to-day states: "After very heavy preparation with trench mortars, the enemy attacked one of our outposts to the east of the Moselle. He failed entirely. "On other parts of the front, there

LATEST

was patrol activity on either side,"

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is suspended.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES closed 15 minutes earlier than the price of currency and the official extime given below unless otherwise change rate plus accrued interest to stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at were made on the outbreak, of war 5 p.m. on the previous day. When for registration with the Bank of mails are advertised to close after 5

INWARD MAILS Europe via Suez and Straits-(London date, 8th Dec. 1939)

HalphongFeb. 19 Haiphong, Holhow and Fort Bayard Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service" London date, 10th of recent months.

Formosa and Swatow Feb. 20. Direct Service"-San Francisco the total outstanding securities of the

date, 14th February, Feb. 21. companies concerned. Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"-Paris date, 14th February. Culcutta and Straits Feb. 21. U.S.A., Honoluly, and Japan (San counters.

U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- well in advance of any necessity. hai (San Francisco date, 26th January)Feb. 24.

OUTWARD MAILS

Monday, Fcb. 19 Fort Bayard and Holhow ...12.30 p.m. Shanghai (Parcels only) .. 2.30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20 Shanghai and Japan10.30 a.m.

Halphong p.m. Shangha12.30 p.m. Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"-due London, 28th Feb. Reg. Feb. 20, 5 p.m. Ord.Feb. 20, 5.30 p.m. Reg. Feb. 20, 5 p.m. Ord. Feb. 20, 7 p.m. Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australla by "Imperial Airways Direct

. K.P.O. Ord,Feb. 20, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. Feb. 20, 5 p.m. Ord.Fcb. 20, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21 -Straits and Calcutta

Service"-due Sydney, 26th Feb.

Ord.Noon. Amoy and Shanghal2.30 p.m. Air Mall for Indo-China, Iran, and Franco (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France! Airways Direct Service"-due

Paris, 20th February. R. P. O. Reg.,Fcb. 21, 5.00 p.m. Ord.,Fcb. 21, 5.30 p.m. G. P. O. Reg.,Feb. 21, 5.00 p.m. Ord., Feb. 21, 7.00 p.m. Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U.S.A., by the 'Pan American Airways Direct Service'-due San

Francisco, 28th February. R.P.O. Reg. Feb. 21, 5 p.m.Feb. 21, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. Feb. 21, 5 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 22 Friday, Feb. 23 Parcels only for Tientsin ... 230 p.m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Evening Institute will reopen on Monday, 4th March, 1940. Entry forms may be obtained at the Education Office, Fire Station Building, or at the Trade

> W. L. HANDYSIDE, Director.

Treasury To Control Securities Important Move Is

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -The Treasury have announced New York.

Announced

Holders will be re-imbursed in Registered and Parcel Malls are sterling at the current New York Survivors.

> the present step aims at vesting a certain number of these securities in the British Treasury.

Not To Force Sales

The reason for this is to ensure that realisation of these securities in the Devonport ratings. American market is orderly, and that the total volume of such sales from the United Kingdom, vested and noninvested, should continue over a

In addition to the present 60 securi- Kelly, in July 1935, lities, further, vesting orders may be issued from time to time. desire to force sales.

The list represents preliminary

Precautionary Step

It is believed that the recent un-United States market than the know-

Bangkok and Salgon Feb. 22. total securities available are now re-

Francisco date, 20th Jan.). Feb. 23. The step in no way indicates an lieved drowned.

Will Not Weaken Market

If private sales continue at the recent volume, there may be no need for official sales, though doubtless the will be taken.

the effect of reducing sales. It is pointed out that the British authorities obviously desire to obtain the best price possible and will not operate so as to weaken the market.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued Saturday says: The Commission's recommendation of the Corporation Tax has not affected the market in any way and in spite of this as well as the short morning session owing to the Races, prices on the whole are firm and in some stocks, show an appreciable advance. Telephones (Old) changed of what ship he was serving in. hands at \$2634 and there are further buyers, while Lands were transacted

H.K. Bank \$1,410. Union Ins, \$405. Douglases \$100. Wharves \$101. Providents \$4.60. Lands \$37%.
Trainways X.D. \$17%.
Star Ferries X.D. \$04:
China Lights (Old) \$7.90. Macao Electrica \$20. Telephones (Old) \$20.60. Cements \$19.10. Entertainments \$7.10. Constructions (Old) \$1%. Tramways \$17.80. Watsons \$9.00. . Dock# \$22.10. Lands \$3714/51/30, Tramways \$17.55, Telephones (Old) \$2654, Cements \$19.10/.20

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London Correspondents Bring to You Daily in this Page—the News-Mirror of the War—Highlights of Events which are Making History.

FINNISH PATROLS HUNT GHOSTS' IN ENDLESS FOREST ON SUMMA FRONT

LOSS OF H. M. S. EXMOUTH

Monday,

Full Details Of Disaster

THE DESTROYER Ex-Kingdom residents in 60 speci- mouth was sunk by mine or Small Packet Post to all countries fied securities marketable in torpedo in the North Sea on January 23. There were no

There were 175 men on board. Their commander It is recalled that arrangements was Captain R. S. Benson. This was the second destroyer

England of all United Kingdom hold- lost in four days. Like the p.m., Registered and Parcel mails ings of United States securities, and Grenville, the Exmouth, a vessel of 1,475 tons, was a flotilla

Until the beginning of the war the Exmouth was manned by a Portsmouth crew, but it is believed that her present complement were chiefly

She was the first of the 1,475-tons leaders, and was constructed in dry dock in Portsmouth at a cost of £300,000. She was "launched" by period of time at about the average Lady Kelly, wife of the then Com-of recent months. Lady Kelly, wife of the then Com-mander-in-Chief, Admiral Sir John

Captain Benson received the D.S.O. last December for successful action "Rettler" learns that there is no against enemy submarines while in command of the Exmouth. He entered the Navy in 1905, and

Shanghai and Amoy Feb. 20, mobilisation of certain securities during the last war was a sublieutenant and lieutenant in H.M.S. Air Mail by "Pan American Airways quisitioned form a big proportion of selected to specialise in gunnery in Later he served in the Royal Oak,

> Flow; in the Frobisher, and in the Iron Duke, the sea-going gunnery firing ship, and Jellicoe's former flagship, which was bombed at Scapa last October. Only 24 hours before, a Wombwell,

which was sunk last October at Scapa

Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Treasury has a definite long range Yorkshire, bride had a joyful letter Direct Service"—London date, 14th plan. from her husband, Ordnance Artificer Exmouth, saying he was coming home on leave. 🐣 🐣 An Admiralty telegram told her

that her husband was missing, be-The couple were married in December, when Turton was home on leave, by special licence at Womb-

well Parish Church. Two hours after the wedding the bridegroom went back to his ship. They had not seen each other since those two precious honeymoon hours. When the telegram came Mrs. opportunities of profitable marketing Turton took it excitedly from her sister, thinking it would tell of her Regulsitioning will probably have husband's leave. She collapsed when she read it.

Second Leave

To Mrs. William Butterfield, of Labournum-avenue, Crook, County Durham, came the same news after she had sat up all night keeping the fires going to welcome her husband. Two hours after his train should have arrived the telegram arrivedtelling her that he was missing and

presumed dead. Butterfield, a stoker, who was 44 years of age, was a naval reservist, called up at the outbreak of war, and he had been home on leave once

since he was called up. "The last time I saw my husband," gularly is, of course, unthinkable. Mrs. Butterfield said, "he said he was serving in the Exmouth, but the telegram does not give any indication "I am hoping that he has been

picked up, and that the authorities have not yet found this out." His two children, a boy aged nine and a 15-years-old girl, have been told that their father is believed

husbands, in Exmouth, are missing, German Pact because they believe von Neurath. But both men are studying. believed drowned.

Vaughan, 33, 1st cl. stoker. Service Medal in the New Year's list of awards to the Royal Navy. Each

Wives of two ratings living at march on Leningrad with three divi- The rumblings of revolt have pro-Weymouth have also been informed sions at 15 miles a day. by the Admiralty that their husbands are missing.

BLOWN UP

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuler) .- The Captain and a fireman lost their lives when the 3,650-ton British steamer Baron Allsa, sank-after an explosion corporated in the Reich on April 1. England has regained the symin the North Sea last night. The remaining 34 were saved.

costermonger comedian, Gus Elen, has Czech State is German, but discon- will bring victory to the Allies, and Germany and Communist Russia, "Germany and Russia now speak died, aged 77.

Czech State is German, but discon- will bring victory to the Allies, and Germany and Communist Russia, "Germany and Russia now speak died, aged 77.

VOLKISCHER BEOBACHTER CALLS THIS

Churchill's Blockade Wish-dream



Children of Europe,

WAR AND PEACE

Soviet airmen have received strict orders

to attack only military objectives, says

Moscow. This picture (on the left) shows

the ruins of a building in Viborg after

bombardment by Soviet planes. Below,

a picture of Viborg in peace time.

Russians—and Trees— Look Alike

By RALPH HEWINS, Daily Mail War Correspondent in Finland. On the Salla Front.

EARLY this morning I crept through the cerie Finnish forest with a ski patrol and reconnoitred the Russian lines only 400 yards away.

For hours we picked our way among the trees. No one spoke. At every step the Russian guns might crash out. I almost wished they had. The strain of listening and watching in that great stillness hurt. But not a shot was fired.

This is the ghostly work the Finns must do every night. A hundred times forest growths appeared to me to take human shape. Were they hiding Russians? No-only trees. Good nerves are needed on these patrols.

We had our orders. Watch for any Russian move. If possible cut off any of the enemy daring to venture too far afield; surprise sentries chilled by the cold; capture prisoners for questioning; break field 'phones; damage commissariat and equipment. But we must not provokea pitched fight.

At first I was keyed up, expecting uncanny silence to be broken by the roar of artillery. the whine and rattle of shells and machine-guns. I expected to have to dive into the snow for cover. But as minutes passed my-

new-found animal alterness began to yield to careless complacency. I dared to whisper.

A hasty "S-sh" from the officer in charge reminded me we were in

Trees-Or Men?

A glance at the taut features of his men as they strained eyes and cars for the slightest movement was enough to prevent me from being so careless again.

Time went on and the tension increased. Was I getting jumpy, or were those trees, that hillock, those shrubs really trees and shrubs, or

As it so often turned out, the whiteelad arm was only a branch; the prone hump only a tree trunk. The officer raised a white-gloved hand. We walted breathlessly until mysterious signs and passwords en-

abled us to proceed. It was like going to a Ku-Klux-Klan meeting amid an endless forest

of Christmas trees. My imagination began to play more tricks. A ghost wafting down

small open space. ' At last we left the :danger zone behind. "Is it always as still as this?" I whispered.

Nightmare

"I could start the firing at any moment, but you newspapermen are Sport valuable to us. Be quiet, please," was the reply. So it is on patrol. Silence. Always

Maurice Argyle, a Windermere silence. Nightly the Finns cover up conscientious objector, told the Cum- to 50 miles with the thermometer berland tribunal at Carlisle that he usually showing at least 40 degrees would regard a wounded man lying of frost. on the battlefield as a polluted per-Only men bred in the woods, un-

emotional, though sometimes mystic, can keep it up. They need at least He also said he would go so far as two years' training on skis. Week in and week out they are "If we had adopted pacifism," he holding up the Russian steam roller

in these snowbound forest wildercontinued, "with the force we now For the Russians the strain must be almost greater. They live in a

BAD NEWS FOR NAZIS

CAPTAIN HAROLD BALFOUR, Under Secretary, for Air, who arrived in England recently from Canada, revealed that the Allied air strength, already superior to that of Germany, is to be built up to a figure that no rival can ever hope to approach.

"Canada's war efforts can only be described as enormous,

DIFFERENCE 1. Naziism And Communism Speak As One

Opposed To

to forbid all field sports.

"Anti-Communism has proved merely has been allowed to cross the bor- Munich. The Czechs, willing to be a cloak without basic meaning or is no longer Communism but Capital-Incorporated in a new State with substance. Indeed to-day there is ism which the Nazis regard as the LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The The official language of the old Bayaria and Austria, hope that 1940 extremely little to distinguish Nazi real enemy.

Maltese To Join

MALTA, Feb. 18 : (Reuter) --- Recruiting for the R.A.F.; has been arranged for Maltese nationals under LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The the same conditions as for those in "Washington Post" on Saturday said: Britain, it is announced.

GERMAN PEOPLE, BORED PROPAGANDA, WANT MUSIC

THE German people are intensely bored by the interminable floods of propaganda which the Nazis are pouring out. The people would much sooner have music or light entertainment. . . . The wireless has fallen into a gentle slope made me start. It was only a skier hurrying across a

disrepute. Freedom Radio, the people await its voice eagerly. This radio is Pacifist IsAlthough there are terrible penaltics for listening-in to the D. proving of real service to the cause of the Allies.

Great discredit has fallen on the German Press, too. This is shown by the fact that the declared sale of the "Voelkischer Beobachter," Hitler's special paper and the organ of the Government, is only 80,000 a day.

the driving personality of Hitler be- pressors. hind-to reach a sale of 60,000 re-Only the most fervid party members are still gulled by the spale of

propaganda produced daily. Propaganda Boomerang propaganda spread over the years confined to the Palace Racyn. He since 1933 is having a boomerang never leaves Prague, where he is adopt to stop the aggressor, the war nesses. considered to be a prisoner of the would never have arisen."

His tirades against Stalin, arch- Nazis he once led. enemy of civilisation, are still re- At the Presidency in Prague re- He was then registered as an ob- nightmare of fleeting white shadows The men are Henry James Webb, getting from the Russlans all he before them. 33, acting petty officer, and Wallace needs just now while he prepares to Only one Czech organisation is perstrike back at them later with wea- mitted-"The National Movement." Webb received the Distinguished pons they have themselves provided. Seven thousand unarmed Czech A German general told me that soldiers attached to it run about in when the time came for the Nazis to comic opera uniforms. In Prague of the men leaves a family of six turn on Russia, as it inevitably they are known as the "Hacht would, the Germans would be able to Melody Boys."

> A majority of the German people, face of the Czech State, but they are with memories of the last campaign buried lightly in the bosoms of its in which Germany fought with the people. Finns to gain freedom for them, are Every loyal Czech knows the still tremendously pleased at the name and address of the German he series of Soviet disasters in Finland. will kill when his people rise at last Nowhere in Europe is sympathy for against their oppressors.

> Whispers In Prague Undercover whisperers in Progue Czechs living in the midst of a Nazi say that the Protectorate will be in- majority in Sudetenland.

For any German paper-without their own tongue against their op-The Sudeten Germans are worst, they say, and the most hated

man is Franck, formerly a Sudeten M.P. He is now the real master of son no one should touch. the Czech State. Nominal chief von Neurath, the Official Protector who was formerly Hitler's violent anti-Bolshevik German Ambassador in London, is

Telegrams were received by two membered, even by ardent Nazis ports, decrees and requisitions have jector on condition that he remained which may suddenly pump death at Rosyth women saying that their who swallow the fact of the Russo- to be signed by President Hacha and in forestry work, which he is now them with machine-guns at point that Hitler is playing a deep game, forced to sign every form that is set

duced few tremors yet on the sur-

the Allies stronger than in the Czech Czech patriots told me that the Protectorate and in Austria. | lalaughter would have begun already if there had not been 1,000,000

For two months now no foreigner pathy and friendship she lost after

Synopsis: Lovely Mary Haines, a happy wife and devoted mother is a member of New York's wealthy "gossip" set, a part of the circle that lives in the beauty salons, the gown shops and the bridge-clubs. One day she has the "girls" to lunch. She detects the veiled barbs of her cousin. Sylvia Fowler, an acc-meddler but is unaware that Sylvia has learned from Olga, her manicurist, that Stephen Haines is "carrying on" with another girl. Quite innocently, she agrees to go to Olga for her next manicure.

FOR no reason at all, Mary had awakened that icy draft blow over her. morning with the firm defriend of mine. She's really a cision to change her coif- terrible mantrap. Soak it, please, fure.

ing to understand. Nancy He bought some 'Summer Rain' Morehead had heard too. Blake, off again that day perfume from her and when

the bottom of it," and Mary

had agreed. "Probably.

hope Stephen will like it."

She was sitting in the

In one hand she held a

little manicuring booth now,

being finished off by Olga.

magazine, but reading, in

was well-nigh impossible.

feels awfully sorry for her."

ACROSS

10-Wound with knife 14-Of superior quality

1-Wooden shoe

(Turkish)

poetry 20-Japanese title 21-Pitch

22—Creeping 24—Hurried

TUO dust-et

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34—Putting into effect
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40-Negro from Benio

45-Falls into coma

i-Oet even for i-Join by attiches i-Irritated sore on

38 Orant (obsolete)

50 - Back of neck

40—Caresa 40—Bocial insect 80—Chief actor

6-Letter

Stephen Haines?".

There's probably a man at ing around and I guess he liked

"H-hooked?" Mary felt an you told it to me." Blindly, she groped her way to the door.

SHE was at home an hour now the right hand. She's be- later, swallowed up in a black, The "why" of it was some- Black's. That's how she met mother came in. One glance thing she didn't bother try- him a couple of months ago. and it was clear that Mrs.

She sat at her mother's knee and Crystal sells, she puts perfume said over and over again with that for Australia had laughed on her palm and in the crook blank feeling of unreality, "I never affectionately and said of her arm. So he got to smell dreamed it could happen to us. We've been so happy together . so much in love . .

"I know. There, there, baby. By to Stephen yet, have you?"

"Then say nothing." Mary stared kissed her child and left. at her. Mrs. Morehend leaned forward. "Listen dear, this is not a new story. It comes to most wives. Stephen is a man. He's been married ten years -"

"You mean he's tired of me." Mrs. Morehend took out her king. ting. "Stephen's tired of himself, much, eh? Well, maybe Mother was Time comes when every man's got to feel something new, when he's

got to feel young' again just because he's growing older. And his only escape is to see a dif- on. ferent self — in | ... the mirror of



the way, you haven't said anything I'm an old woman dear and I know tinguished. I'm sure you wouldn't my sex. Goodbye." Warmly, she overlook him.

> A MOMENT later the tele-A MOMENT later the telephone rang. It was Sylvia,
> pure acid. She picked up a bottle.
> bursting to talk about nothing "And as you say — you have so
> at all.
>
> many men." There, let her climb be quoted on application.

Mary cut her rather short. Ber- out of that. right, "I'm busy now, Sylvia, Sorry dear, I'll call you sometime --" In the department store tele-phone booth Sylvia turned to Edith, "Well, that's what I call gratitude." Think that one suggests your yet she won't say a word. Come 'Oomph.'

working. She said smoothly, "I'm

so many men come in here.'

in the name of friendship that you "He is awfully good looking," lose your husband and your home. Sylvia said airly, "tall, fair and dis-

"I'm sorry but when one's mind is on one's own business -"

CRYSTA'L indicated the bottle

I know she saw Olga to-day and personality at all. It's called "How amusing." The musical

"Oh Sylvin, maybe we shouldn't sound of chimes was heard through the store. "Well Edith, the bum's

"Twenty-five cents," Crystal said

Crystal glanced at the sales-slip.

dragged- Edith along. "Prowler,

huh. She called me that deliberate-

ly. I'd like to fix her. Nasty-

TO-MORROW

The Cats

isweetly. "My, you are getting off

"Fowler," Sylvia anapped.

"Oh sorry, Mrs. Fowler."

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"BIG SHIP—EASY TARGET," THEY SAY

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would be rendered innocuous if faced by a fleet containing battleships. We cannot, therefore abolish battleships unless other nations agree to do so and keep their promise.

Defying The Vilest Weather

risking our own security? We can, provided others also do it. During the Disarmament Conferences

1922, a limit of 35,000 tons. about limitation. Our Empire, hav-|certainty. ing no boundaries, requires ships When submarine attack on a battlelarge enough to keep the sea in any ship is considered, it must be realised weather in any part of the world; that a battleship usually works as our ships must be able to go where part of a fleet not as a single ship; required, so that a sufficient force whether with a fleet or alone, it is can be in the right place at the right screened against submarine attack time. Other nations do not share by attendant small craft. these requirements to the same ex- Although the extra length would

just how large a battleship should slight. An individual ship in a be, and, because power is increased battle-fleet is seldom attacked by a as size is increased, there has always torpedo; rather is an attack made on been a temptation, not often resisted, the whole line from a distance. Big

startling rapidity. Not only has the space" to "ship space" in a line extra tonnage to be paid for, but would remain about the same. also special plant must be manufactured to turn out the enormous guns Sylvia was snorting fire as she required. There is practically no limit to the amount which may have be included in a 60,000-ton battle-

to be spent along the sea routes. Ships must have repair and supply bases distributed about the world. The larger the ship, the more difficult lally in shallow, waters; the larger blyger the ship, the steadler the gun her, the longer and more solid the platform in rough weather. wharves; and more dredging is necessary to make harbours navigationally

safe for her reception. These harbour works are very expensive.
It is a victous circles which can be prevented only if the nations of the world are genuine and united in their efforts to prevent it.

Luck Needed For A "Bull"

THE argument against large ships—because "the bigger the ship, the bigger the target," can be considered in two ways. If the big ship, the big target, is lost, the loss is, of course, greater than if the unit was of smaller dimensions—there would be more eggs in the basket.

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somewhere. But to score a "bull requires the same skill, or the same luck. A "target" cannot retallate; a battleship can. The bigger the ship, the more powerful and numerous can be her guns and the greater her speed, CAN we reduce the size without all of which give her more chance of crippling an enemy before being damaged herself.

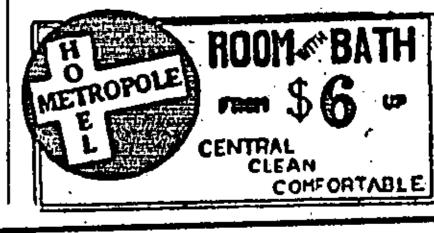
To a smaller extent the advantages the British Admiralty were never of retaliation would exist if she were averse to discussing such limitations, attacked by submarine or aircraft. In fact, the Washington Treaty- With efficient retaliation from untiwhich no longer exists-imposed, in aircraft guns and fighters from the ship, and from other ships of the There are, however, difficulties Fleet, a direct hit from the air is no

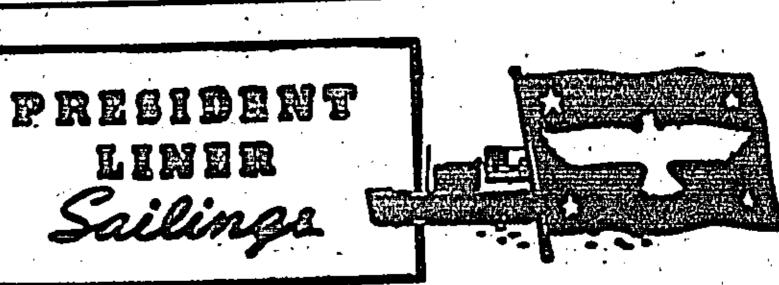
fayour the submarine, the actual There is nothing to tell us off-hand advantage would in reality be very to go one better than the other fellow. ships, therefore, would not materially As battleships increase in size the increase the chances of a successful. cost to the taxpayer increases with hit, because the proportion of "water

So Much Depends On Others

THE power and speed which can ship is far greater than in one of 35,000 tons, and such advantage in an action would far outweigh the slight extra chance of damage due to the

We could obtain security with battleships much smaller than they are to-day if other nations would agree to a limitation of size; but until such an agreement is reached, we must continue to dance to the popular tune. One day, perhaps, the size-madness will give way to the sanity which is satisfied with modest dimen-





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the face of Olga's chatter, "You say Mrs. Fowler it. Since then they've been in- some woman's eyes. This girl Sylvia gestured impatiently and rush in melody." She picked up a probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to sent you in?" Olga gabbed. evening. Jungle Red, I sup- than a new dress does to you."

"Isn't she a lamb?" She's pose. One coat or two?" sent me three clients this I did her at home last week. Those six daughters of hers are herself. "Never mind."

absolute gangsters. Know Mrs. friends---"

"I think," Mary said uneven- i MARY started and looked up. her name. "What?" Why yes, Fowler's friends came for." "Oh. Well, goodbye. I'll tell

"I guess Mrs. Fowler's told her you were in, Mrs .-- " "Mrs. Stephen Haines." you about that. Mrs. Fowler "Oh, she does?" Mary colours. "Oh, gee, gee Mrs. laughed uncertainly. "Well, I | Haines, I'm sorry. Oh isn't there something I can do?" "Stop telling that story." "You would if you knew this girl, Crystal Allen. She's the Mary's voice broke.

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28-Greek porch 29-Screwing up of

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56-Appear 57-Belonging to that

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32—Make more endurable

23-Pastening device

8-Theodore

12-By oneself

9-Door

partment. Suddenly, she caught Crystal patronisingly, I'll take this "But mother --"

her breath. No doubt of it, that my dear." From her bag, she pull-"Good heavens Mary, he doesn't red-head with the pansy eyes was ed out a crumpled sales slip. Trembling, Mary got to her love the girl. If he did you'd have Crystal Allen. The description, "There's my name and address. week. Know Mrs. Potter? feet. Summer Rain. It had felt it yourself, long ago. So take brassy manner and all, fitted her Just charge and send." been a gift from Stephen. She my advice. Keep still, keep still." perfectly. She pulled Edith to the closed her eyes, then steadied Mary felt a sudden revulsion and counter and began to finger the pershe flared up with it. "And what fume bottles.

"But I thought that's what | if I don't want him under those | you came for. All Mrs. Fowler's terms. Women aren't chattels any here's this new kind, Summer out to-morrow, Mrs. Prowler." more. Stephen and I are equals. Rain. That's what Mary Huines We belonged to each other freely, is so keen about." Covertly watchwon't qualify our relationship ing her prey, she went on. "A Evidently the girl hadn't caught ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, simply dotes on this. Her husband mother, I'm through—finished."

'Alarmed, Mrs. Morehead jumped picked it out for her. Porhaps you up. "Mary. You mustn't say a sold it to him-ch?" word to Stephen until you've thought | Crystal stiffened. So this was the "Mrs. — ?" Olga turned six this out calmly. I'm going right way the society gang worked. Well, tongued little creature." down this minute and get tickets for let them. She had Stephen just Bermuda." She winked. "My where she wanted him. It had throat's bad. I haven't wanted to been a swell, idea, reading those worry you, but my doctor says -" | books and talking engineering to "Oh mother, it's sweet of you him. It was a hot line and it was

"Mary, there's something more afraid I don't remember. We have one who's hooked Mr. Haines." please don't tell anyone that for you to think of now than each other. There's your daughter." Mary went silent with pain. Mrs. Morehead starting for the door. "One more piece of motherly advice. Don't confide in your girl friends."

"I think they all know." "But they don't think you know? Then leave it that way. If you let them advise you they'll see to it

GOVERNMENT "WINS" LOTTERY

MADRID.-The Spanish Government did very well by itself in the Spanish holiday lottery. Besides winning the entire second prize, the Government also gets half of the winnings from the first prize ticket, which was shared by a holder in Madrid.

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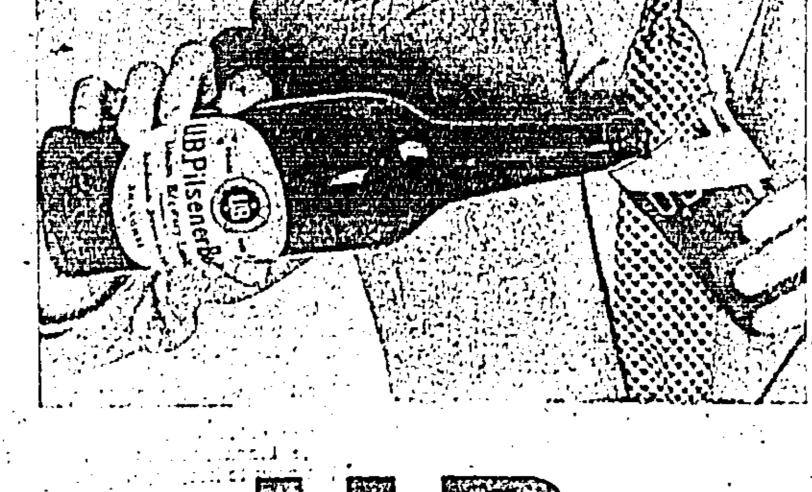
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Then she held one up. "Oh, economically, aren't you? It'll be



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Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO TREVIOUS PUZZLE

62-Language of Highlands

64-Bay 63-Colored artificially

DOWN

66-Hearing organs 67-is surcharged

1-Look for 2-in manner of

Drested-CO



Skirts For Evening Wear

By ELEANOR GUNN

New York-As long ago as last August, -Molyneux launched the instep-length dress designed for life from five o'clock on.

It was applauded by those who saw it at his opening and it has met with some measure of success in America, as well as in its native Paris, but it is one of those fashions that is more talked about than necepted, at least up to now.

In collections of resort clothes as well as in shops turning out trousseaux and debutante dresses, the instep-length skirt, very wide and looking wider because shorter. is being starred. It is mentioned as the Uress with a future. There is, in short, less resistance to it than formerly.

Such dresses are developed in fabries that run the gamut from stiff slipper satin, a great favourite, as we've been telling you, to marquisette and tulle over taffeta.

And while on the subject of skirts in shorter length, consider the Schinparelli dresses in convertible lengths-street and dinner, contrived to be caught up around the hips for the shorter length, giving a draped or peplum look. These dresses or adaptations of them will appeal to women who like a double-duty type of costume.

dresses and so will the bride.

. If quaintness is a dubious quality style. for clothes, it is no exception in bridesmaid costumes. Bustles are . At the Bruyere collection shown

There seems to be little doubt that beige will prove one of the big spring black. This is smart and new lookcolours in costumes, and gray is also ing.



Black velvet hostess pajamas with gold embroidered jacket.

If it so happens that you are plan- being talked about. Since it is selning bridal array, the maids will look dom that two light neutrals are good very new, and different, if dressed in one season, some stylists believe in these instep-length boullant that gray will be the popular colour and the new klinki beiges for high

being done; apron and other toward- in New York the new khaki shades the-back drapes are among the are widely approved. They have a accepted ideas. Apropos of quaint style, what could be quainter, and new and lively character; one on the accessories are worn, and khaki colour dresses are trimmed with

Worries

Give her a few simple toys which

Doctor says baby shows no trace of

This is just lack of confidence.

· Once Baby's legs feel stronger under

him he will take his courage in both

harids and make the blg experiment of

I am having a struggle with my ten-

VOU do a little insisting, tool If

things all his own way now, where

will you be when he is ten years old?

Some bables are very slow and un-

willing to adopt the change from bottle to spoon-feeding, but this is usually because the spoon-feeding has

not been introduced sufficiently early.
Infants should be given their sips

of cool, boiled water from a spoon, and

spoon-feeding of food should be intro-

Put away that bottle, and don't bring

it out again however much Baby cries

for it. Forty-eight hours should see the

end of that struggle if you are deter-

mined. If you are not sure what to

give during the change-over from bottle feeds to solids, I shall be glad

to advise you.

duced from the age of six months.

you allow this laddle to have

months-old. He refuses to drink from

a cup or to chew a crust or rusk, and

will take little else but bottle feeds.-

taking his first step.

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Fingers were made before spoons, thinks Baby.

MANY mothers are disappointed she go off to school willingly? Is she free from constitution? because their children do not appear to make as good progress as doctor; mental heaviness in children is often traceable to unhealthy tonsils their neighbours's children.

Often such anxiety is needless. It is simply a matter of a worried list; the child who has to strain to mother not having had sufficient see the blackboard is not going to patience.

Bables, as I have often reminded fellows. you, cannot be reared by rule of thumb, neither do they progress to a pattern; what suits one admirably may not give satisfactory results in the case of the next.

Sometimes children need special treatment and this should never cannot help herself either with dressbe denied them if they are to be ing or amusements. Now that I have given a fair chance in life. I am another buby her slowness is most dealing to-day with some of these trying. THE key to your problem lies in your worries.

Backward at School

garded as a baby during the last two My little girl failed to get her remove to three years. into a higher form last September; she in self-control and independence at an is slow over her lessons.early age, they will continue to allow

EXAMINE the child's daily routine mother to do everything. dress herself and to think for herself. Does she go to bed early? Has she Mark the back of frocks, petticoats and plenty of fresh air both day and night? knickers with a cross in red cotton; Does she cat a good breakfast? Does let her practise buttoning and un-

WANCHAI BUS CRASH

in Queen's Road East.

ly damaged.

CATHOLIC PROCESSION

Have her tonsils examined by your

If all is well there have her eye-

sight tested by a fully qualified ocu-

find it easy to keep up with her school-

'If you can find nothing wrong and

if a chat with the headmlatress has not

led to a solution, I advise you to see

Joan is over four years of age. She

words: "Another baby." Your

little girl should not have been re-

Unless one begins to educate toddlers

Begin to train your little girl to

what a change of school life will do.

Passengers on a bus travelling from Ini Hang to Kennedy Town about Christ bearing the Cross to Calvary the vehicle was involved in a mishap number of Catholic Societies . Hongkong participated.

When in the vicinity of the Grand | Following the Recitation of the building, Theatre the bus ran into a funeral Holy Rosary, the congregation left scatfolding and skidded round on the the Cathedral; and joined in the pro- Schuler said the ants, either in the head of the procession,

Ants In Radio **Upset Police**

FRESNO, (UP).—Fresno police were bothered by ants in the shortwave radio aerial poles.

Efforts to locate the reason for poor radio reception by police and 12.15 a m. to-day received a reverse was commemorated at the Catholic fire department equipment ended shaking but were not injured when Cathedral, Caine Road, yesterday. A when technician Robert H. Schuler found a colony of millions of anta in the hollow pole, 333 feet above the sidowalk atop the Pacific Southwest

greasy surface of the road, the rear cession which marched around the building a nest or by dying by thouportion of the vehicle crashing into a Cathedral twice. The band from the sands, short circuited the giant tube. pillar. The back of the bus was bad. Aberdeen Industrial School was at The period and to be taken down to - climinate the colony.

p 1, k 2 (p 1, k 1) 8 times. * K 1; p 1. Repeat from o to the end. k 1, p 1 round. Work the fingers as follows:— FIRST FINGER

round. 21st round.-K 2, increase the 1st finger.

next st, k, to the end. 6th round,— .

* K 1, p 1. Repeat from * to the

the next st, k 6, increase in the

next st, k to the end. 10th round.

-K 1, p 1, k 2 (p 1, k 1) 4 times.

* K 1, p 1. Repeat from * to the

in the next st, k 12, increase in the

next st, k to the end. 22nd-24th

rounds.—As rounds 6-8 inclusive.

25th round.—K 2, increase in , the

next st, k 14, increase in the next

st, k to the end, 26th round,-K 1,

K the first 8 sts of the round slip all but the 8 sts of the round on to safety pins, east on 2 sts and k the last 8 sts. Divide the sts on right hand. to three needles.

required, keeping the continuity of the pattern, finishing at the end of a k 1, p 1 round. Next round: (Knit 2 tog, k 2) 4 times, k 2 tog. Next round: Knit

Work 29 rounds or the length

Next round: (K 2 tog, k 2) 3 times, Break off the wool and thread the end through the remaining sts with a darning needle. Draw up

and fasten off the end on the inside.

Proceed for the fingers, as follows,

rejoining the wool for each finger. SECOND FINGER

K the next 7 sts of the round, cast on 2 sts, k the last 7 sts of the round and knit up 2 sts at the base of the 1st finger. Divide the sts on to three needles.

Work 31 rounds or the length required, keeping the continuity of the pattern, finishing at the end of n k 1, p 1 round. Finish as for the first finger.

TIMED FINGER

Follow the instructions for the 2nd finger, but work 27 rounds in pattern instead of 31 rounds before completing the top.

FOURTH FINGER

Put the remaining 12 sts on to a needle, and k, then knit up 4 sts at the base of the 3rd finger. Divide the sts on to three needles.

Work 23 rounds, or the length required, finishing at the end of a k 1 p 1 round.

Next round: (K 2 tog. k 2) times. Next round: Knit. Next round: (IC 2 tog, k 2) 3 Finish as for 1st finger.

end. 9th round.—K 2, increase in the wool, k the sts on to two needles and with the third needle knit up 0 sts at the cast off edge. Next round: Work 18 sts in pattern and work the third needle as folend. 14th-16th rounds.—As rounds lows: work 1 st, knit 2 sts tog 0-8 inclusive. 17th round.—K 2, twice, work 1 st. Divide the sts on increase in the next st, k 8, in- to three needles and work 22 rounds, crease in the next st, k to the end. or the length required, finishing at 18th round.—K 1, p 1, k 2 (p 1, the end of a k 1, p 1 round. Next k 1) 6 times. * K 1, p 1. Repeat round: (K 2 tog, k 2) 5 times, k 2

THE THUMB

Put 18 sts on to a needle. Join

5th round.—K 2, increase in the next st, k 4, increase in the

from * to the end. 19th round.— tog. Next round: Knit. Next round: Knit. 20th round.—As in the 18th (K 2 tog, K 2) 4 times. Finish as for

THE LEFT HAND

Work as for the right hand up to the beginning of the thumb shaping. World this as for the right hand, but make the increaslngs come at the end of the third needle instead of at the beginning 27th round: K 2, slip the next of the first. For example: The 18 sts on to a thread, cast on 6 sts, first round is: K to the last 6 sts k to the end (50 sts now in the of the round (increase in the next round). Work 21 more rounds, st, k 2) twice. Proceed as in the keeping the continuity of the pat- other hand, knitting to the last 8 tern, thus finishing at the end of a sts in the next increasing round and so on until the 26th round.

> 27th round.—K to the last 20 sts. slip the next 18 sts on to a thread, reast on 6 sts. k 2 (56 sts now on the needles).

The rest of the glove is worked exactly as the instructions for the



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By SEFTON DELMER

HITLER is trying to lead foxy Joe Stalin into a campaign of conquest in the Middle East against Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan and India, so that the Russian armies may create a diversion for a German push into south-eastern Europe.

He may have to push south-east soon, as the Balkans are rapidly closing against him, refusing him necessary supplies, which may force him into making an attempt to get them by arms.

Diplomatic agents, military experts, newspaper propaganda, all have been mobilised for the task of dazzling before the eyes of Stalin, the riches of the East; the domination of regions which throughout history have been the happy huntingground of Georgian raiders.

What success he is having is not yet clear.

Threat In East

Many reports are coming in speaking of Russian concentrations of troops on the border of Iran, Afghanistan, and Eastern Turkey.



50 YEARS AGO

At cleven o'clock this afternoon St. German attempt at force Andrew's Hall was crowded with ladies and gentlemen, including General Edwards and the heads of departments, attending the presentation of addresses to H.E. Sir. G. W. des Voeux, on the troops on the occasion of his departure for Europe.

25 YEARS AGO

Leuter's correspondent at Amsterdam inspect them and the preparastates that a Berlin communique reports that a nine days' winter battle strategic railway here by a furwith the Russian Tenth Army, of eleven infantry divisions and several cavalry divisions, who were thrown across the

The communique claims that the this purpose. severely benten. Those remaining escaped into the forest of Sawalki and

Many Russians were killed and the Ankara. number of prisoners has not yet been

battles of our troops, old Easterns with agricultural products, offering in reto this task, proved equal to their old turn munitions and guns comrades despite very adverse

weather." General von Hindenburg directed the

Four Germans interned in the pri- Radio Threats soners' camp at Hunghom succeeded in effecting their escape from the camp that the fifth was caught in the attured in the New Territory.

10 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19, 1930. Chief interest in the tennis champlouship which was continued yesterday was centred in the appearance of Paul Kong (Kong Too-cheun), the Shanghal Interport player, who met T. Akiyama in the second round of the Open Bingles.

The full results of yesterday's matches were as follows: Open Singles .- Luk . Ding-cheung bent D. Mohamed 4-0, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5; E. F. Fincher beat H. Owen Hughes 6-3, 6-0; 7-5; 8. E. Green bent Wong Fuk-nam for the Germans, now that the

Ak yama 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, Open Doubles .- F. A. Redmond and and O.E.C. Marton 6-0, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5; C. cannot, or will not, set working the L. Sullivan boat II. J. Armstrong A. L. Rumjahn and J. A. E. Cassumbhoy railway line from Rumania across; beat T. C. Monaghan and B. G. Grigor, Russian-occupied Poland into Ger-Club Championship .- Dr. J. Valentine

beat W. H. Sueur, 0-4, 6-2. 5 YEARS AGO

the unbeatable Dunbar stable mount, the German Stuff. would be excluded from the betting.

AS SHAME

DRAU WIEDENROTH, found guilty at a Nazl court at Gifhorn of living with a Polish prisoner-in-war. has had her head shaved. gauleiter [leader] felt it his duty, troops wanting to make a drive in the his own hand, to shave the halr this direction.

this line, not if he is as willy as they say he is. The Finnish experiment of his army's strength has hardly been encouraging so far.

Besides, attractive as the German invitation must be, that he should help himself to the rich British- busy building defensive roads in the controlled oilfields in Iran and Iraq, north of Iraq, as well as the strate- war and killed on active service in said: "Peter, who was twenty, was westiansens Landensenius and Stalln, as a Georgian, probably gie railway stretching from Turkey the first week of this war, Pilot- killed on September 8, in England, nounces; "She stained the honour of Stalln, as a Georgian, probably gie railway stretching from Turkey the first week of this war, Pilot- killed on September 8, in England, nounces; who summer the money what difficult country faces across Syria to the Persian Gulf. Officer the Hon. Peter St. Clair The money will go to his elder

"She will receive a prison sentence between Northern Iran and the oil- feel sure Stalln will think twice in his will. fields so difficult that in Northern about this German invitation.



The Japanese, too, are interested. A Japanese mission has arrived in

of £2,000,000 has been voted for

number of prisoners has not yet been. They are to study the situation in ancertained, but it is surely over fifty. They are to study the situation in thousand, together with forty guns and the Middle East, and prepare everysixty machine guns as well as much thing for a deal by which Japan would buy from Turkey, Iran, and "The Kaiser attended the decisive Afghanistan raw materials, mainly AND RETURN attles of our troops, old Easterns with applications of the control of the co

This would be very useful help should the Japanese decide to give it. operations which were carried out For the Iranian Army, though weil splendidly by Generals Eichhorn and trained and numbering about a million men, is not well equipped.

For Germany, certainly, the situayesterday. Details of the matter show tion is grave in Turkey and souththat five men made the attempt, but eastern Europe. German radio attacks on Turkey are becoming away. Up to the time of writing, one more and more violent as it becomes of the escaped prisoners has been cap- clear that Turkey will not help Germany to obtain by overland routes raw material supplies from the Middle and Near East.

Rumania is standing up more firmly to the Germans. She is refusing to grant them the thirtyeight per cent, premium they are demanding on purchases of oil and other raw materials. For she can export these more profitably to countries like Britain and France.

which pay in gold. Just to make things really difficult 6-1, 6-1, 6-2; Kong Too-cheung bent T. Danube is freezing up and river deliveries of oil and grain are becoming impossible, the Russians still

> Five trains a day of sixty trucks each were to have been despatched from December 2. None has yet

For the first time in the history of Certainly Germany with a linearkong Jockey Club, the interest to open up the war with a Russian help in petting on a pony, snortly before the the form of a diversion engaging Coast that could be kept ice-free all purpose, start of the Exchange Plate, a notifica- the form of a diversion engaging Coast that could be kept ice-free all purpose. tion was posted on the course stating Turkish, British and French troops that, until further notice, Liberty Bay, must obviously be highly desired by

Discouraged

But I cannot see Joe Stalin taking



Civil and Military Gazette.

News Guide-

U-BOAT BASE NORTH RUSSIA

By Bernard Moore

MURMANSK. port where the Bremen took re- haddock, herring, even sharks. fuge, and where the United States steamer City of Flint was taken by the Nazis, is in the news again.

The Germans, according to Paris base nearby in accordance with the terms of a German-Soviet Agreement signed in October.

lished, the reports say.

A quarter of a century ago Murmansk was a handful of log huts clus- officer named Ironside-now General tered on the granite coast of a deep Sir Edmund Ironside, Chief of the Certainly Germany has every inlet cutting into the Kola Peninsula. Imperial General Staff. It had one characteristic: it was the Stewards to-day banned parti-mutuel interest to open up the war with a lit had one characteristic: it was the betting on a pony. Shortly before the the form of a diversion opening of the last to-day before the the form of a diversion opening of the last to-day before the the form of a diversion opening of the last to-day before the the form of a diversion opening of the last to-day before the last to-day befor the year round.

For although Murmansk is a good 200 miles within the Arctic Circle, it is warmed by the Atlantic drift, which flows round the Norwegian

Iran even now they prefer to buy their oil from Russia. And then there is always Britain to reckon with. Italian newspapers are giving prominence to reports showing that British engineers are

the Russian | coast, carrying with it cod, turbot, In 1916 a railway line linking it with Leningrad (then Petrograd) was completed.

The fishing village began to develop into a port.

Murmansk is now a flourishing seareports, have established a naval port of 60,000 inhabitants, with anchorage for large vessels and an unloading capacity of 3,000 tons daily. It was once occupied by British Docks and muchinery for repairing troops. In 1018 it was an active base submarines have already been estab- for operations against the Bolsheviks by Allied troops.

Commander of the British forces in North Russia at the time was an

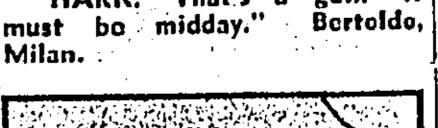
General Ironside was sent there in the summer of 1918 for a specific It was to prevent the establishment

either at Archangel or Murmansk of a German submarine base.

Born As War Ended—Killed As War Began

Born in the last week of the last

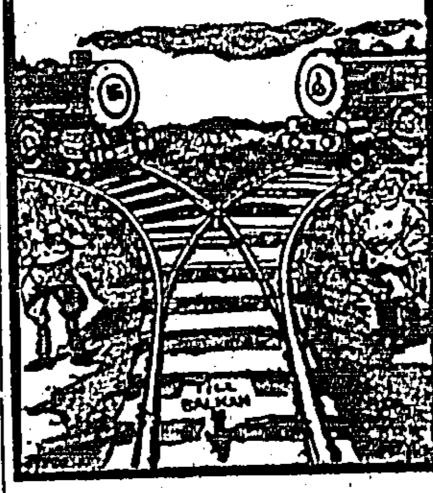
Lady Shella Milbanke, his mother, with the Services."





Russians in 1918?"

"Silly ass, that time it was lagainst Lenin and the Bolsheviks." Trots Alt, Stockholm.



NOW WHAT? St. Louis Star-Times.

The Way Of An Eagle

ATHENS.

AN eagle flung itself against the front of a bus on a main road near Salonika. smashed wind-screen and flew inside. Then the eagle-Attacked a honeymoon

couplé:

Knocked down, the bridegroom with one blow of a wing: Scratched and pecked

the bride, who is seriously injured; and Knocked out the conductor who ran to help

the couple. Eventually a combined rush by the passengers brought the eagle down.

Russo-German upheaval in the Loughborough, of Hamilton-terrace, twenty-two and now in training for Mountains make communications Balkans and on the Dardanelles. I St. John's Wood, N.W., left £1,000 the Army. I expect he will pass the money on to some charity connected

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1.03 Derek Oldham (Tenor) and New Mayfalr Orchestra.-1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Compositions of Grieg.—Peer 2.15 Close down.

6.0 "For the Children." 6.30 Closing local Stock Quotations. 6.32 An hour of Variety with Jack Savage and His Cowboys, Frances Day, Leslie Hutchinson, Clapham and

Dwyer, and Others. 7.30 London Relay—The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 This week's programmes.

8.07 Studio—Plano Recital by Dorcen Ma. Is that the way to treat a Sweetheart; Waltz Medley.—(h) Roses of Picardy; (b) The World is Walting, for the Sunrise; (c) When Irish Eyes are Smiling; Over the Rainbow; It took a Million Years; I Cried for You. 8.25 Primo Scala's Accordeon

8,41 Hawalian Music.—Smiling Eyes; Hawaiian Love Bird; King Nawahi's Hawailans; Drifting and Dreaming; Chiquita—Waltz; Hawailan Guitar Ducts by Ferera and Paaluhl; A Little Rendezvous In Honolulu— Hawaiian Fox-Trot; Honolulu Stars and Hawaiian Guitars. Hawaiian Fox-Trot. Roy Smeck & His Hawaiian Screnaders; My Little Grass Shack In Kealakekua; Hilo Hanakahi; Kanui & Lula-Hawalian

9.15 London Relay-News Sum-

9.30 London Relay-This Ficedom"-7.-Talks by Sir William Beveridge and G.D.H. Cole. 9.45 "Folk Music of Many Nations" -1: English.—The Comical Fellow: Folk Dance Band cond. by Ronnie Munro: The Berkshire Tragedy: A Sad Enling: Oliver Cromwell: Our Bill (F. H. Grisewood) with Plano: The Tempest; Thady You Gander;

10.0 Coleridge Taylor—Three Dream Dances.—London Palladium Orchestra conducted by Clifford

Folk Dance Band conducted by Ron-

Greenwood 10.10 Selections from Gilbert & Sullivan's "Iolanihe." 10.28 Some Old Dance Favourites. 11.0 Close down.

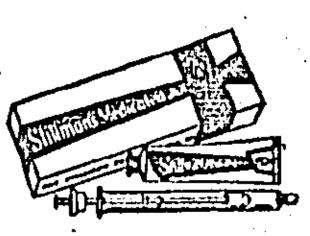
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Release Nazis Women

Seven British women who have, been interned in a Berila prison since the beginning of the month have been released by the German about 100 British and 100 Frenchmen authorities.

of 30 German women, who have re- the war. turned to Berlin in the past few

The Germans have also releas-

ed an English boy who had been kept in a Berlin orphanage. Meanwhile (wires United Press) are preparing to spend Christmas at They will return to England via the Wuelzburg Castle, where they are interned, and where they must Their release followed the freeing expect to remain for the duration of

They recently received Christmas gifts of groceries, chocolate, and Fifteen British women and one winter clothes from the International Australian, however, still remain in Red Cross, and also about 300 books and scores of games from neutrals living in Berlin.

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DEATH

ALVES.—At her residence, 302 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, at 3.30 n.m. on February 19, 1940, Carmen Soares, aged 54, dearly beloved wife of Chevalier Jose Miguel Alves. Funeral will leave the house at 4 o'clock to-morrow. (Feb. 20) passing the Monument Hongkong, about 5.15 p.m.

Liongkong Telegraph.

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Blockade Power

In the list of materials destined for Germany but detained by our Ministry of Economic Warfare we have proof of success which betters expectation. It has been announced that more than a tenance of armaments are still piling up. The fundamental yet the public expect them to more than one, his natural in- Watch These Points materials which modern warfare requires the territory of the Reich. with all that it has annexed, is tures shows at once the extent of From the moment a youngster majority seek company.

the dependence of German military leaves the green fields of Austra- It is the trainer's and the with his hoofs.

who back. effort on supplies which she cannot obtain from contiguous countries and the power of the blockade to stop supplies from overseas. In two months 87,540 tons of petroleum and 81,500 ton of iron ore were captured, tens of thousands of tons of manganese and aluminium ores, great quantities of copper, lead and zinc. and valuable amounts of rarer metals necessary in munitions. Materials for explosives and war stores bulk large in the list. The blockade has been specially effective against armament imports, and its effect is far greater than the figures exhibit. What is seized we can compute. What Germany had contracted for but found no shipping to bring must be a far larger

There is no source from which the Fuehrer's ministers can make good these deficiencies. Russin, ed, may supply some petroleum and perhaps sufficient manganese. But for the rest, her cupboard is bare. The Reich is isolated from the countries which in the first half of the year supplied her with nothing was being imported which could possibly be produced in Germany and Austria and Czechoslovakia. These overseas imports were absolute necessities of the armament programme. As the

RITA CANNON, the first woman racing correspondent, writing for the racing season fans, tells you

NEXT BIRTHDAY.

HE season has opened, and from among the scores of horses in training the supporters of the Turf will be looking for animals to provide them with the undoubted thrill of winning races at the right time.

But here is something I would like to believe that the public appreciated at its true value. All concerned with racing would benefit if people realised the fact that a pony is not a machine.

Just because a pony is feeling fit on his first outing and the luck of the race goes his way and he is able to win is no reason to accuse him of being a rogue or his jockey of being incompetent or even worse if he does not happen to win the second time he appears on a racecourse.

A Rest After Winning.

OWNERS, trainers, and jockeys are all anxious to win as many races as possible. Naturally, they cannot always hope or even expect to do so.

At this time of the season trainers are particularly anxious to win quickly so as to find some line of form by which to judge the other ponies in their stables and to know how good or how backward they are.

Those ponies which will be running to-day, for instance, will be expected to win more races later on in the season. They have to earn their keep; and it is impossible to maintain a pony at concert pitch throughout the season.

Remember, a pony has to be tremendously fit, and the job of getting him so entails a great deal of clever, patient treatment on the part of his trainer and lot of exacting work on the part of the pony-work that tests him right up to his capacity.

given an easy time, and then for him. brought up to fitness again for. Then he has a bit put in his great number of people know seeing a racecourse for the first his next effort.

Difficult Griffins

DOZEN things may back. million ton have already been inter- the most difficulty are the ger of injury.

know their work properly, and galloped with another pony, or because they happen to be well side him. bred and show a turn of speed.

supreme effort of winning a race that until he arrives at the train-sole attention to the demands of though, of course, this is a he has to be let down somewhat, ing stables, life is a bit difficult the man on his back.

mouth and is gradually taught about the horeflesh they like to time and having their attention

speaking, the ponies with which gradually brought on until he of his forefeet. That's usually and, particularly, the breeding of both trainers and backers have can be galloped without any dan- a pony that can gallop.

control. Seizures of the very com- These young ponies are grow- of that the average youngster gallops low and smooth, parti-u- . If you take an interest in racmodities essential to the main- ing during their two-year-old does not thoroughly realise what larly when the going is hard, as ing why not study it from points season; most of them do not is wanted of him. If he is being it is at present.

weakness of Hitlerism's policy of run with the steadiness and con-clination is to edge over towards aggression is, that in all the sistency of old performers just the other animal and keep along-

When a pony is really fit he lia and is taken through the jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of pony to keep on his own, to con- as though he has some idea of travelling to Hongkong, and from pony to keep on his own, to con- as though he has some idea of the but immediately after the still greater excitement of serve his energy and to give his for the calm, collected pony—

to obey it. After that he has to bet on. Watch the ponies walk- distracted by dozens of animals. submit to carrying a lad on his ing round the ring. Look out they have never seen before, and back.

for the one that walks with a also by the noises and sights of happen during that From then onwards he is built big, smooth stride and puts his the grandstand and enclosures. attempt. Generally up by walking and trotting, and hind feet down in the hoofmarks Study the breeding of a pony

But even after a few months post. Look for the pony that have.

MANY a good pony judged by the form-book.

standing fourteen DACING is a great or looks observed.

hands looks about twelve when red and show a turn of speed. A few ponies of strong and he is galloping. He goes down objects is to improve steadily Let me give you a picture of dominating character may object and stretches himself. He does the breed of the racehorse. Don't racing from these youngsters' to allowing another animal to not bound along like a deer wast- expect ponies to be banged and gallop alongside them, but the ing a lot of his time in the air leathered and knocked about just

OBJECTION BY THE COLT. quality not always to be expected It is surprising how little a among the youngsters who are

the dams. Then throughout the Watch them going down to the season, watch how ponies be-

book? Some of the greatest racehorses are completely mis-

PACING is a great sport, and one of its chief

66 BIG SHIP-EASY TARGET, 99

SECOND SE

 B_{γ} Vice-Admiral J. E. T. Harper, C.B., M.V.O.,

who compiled the official record of the Battle of Jutland. He comments in this article on an American admiral's condemnation of the 80,000-ton warship and gives his views on some of the points that govern Britain's naval policy. *****

WHAT should be the size of a battleship? It is reported that the United States has recently turned its If she chooses, if she will be paid back on the suggestion to build leviathans of 70,000 to and if the transport can be creat- 80,000 tons in favour of something less cumbersome.

prospect of Hitlerism in its first word "battleship." war winter. With the loss The Reich is now unable to export tion only a few. through neutral countries or in neutral shipping.

When dimensions of this nature are strain on munition factories is spoken of it is not surprising that raised to a higher tension the im- many ask if battleships are really necessary. First of all, we must ports are lost. Such is the understand what is meant by the

A navy must consist of many cate- vitals from enemy guns and from half her imports. We know that imports Germany has also lost gories of ships, ranging in size up- bombs from the air; under-water wards from the armed constal motor- protection to withstand attack from markets. Nearly half her export heat and mine-sweeping trawler; torpedo or mine; and as high France and neutrals overseas. boat destroyers; cruisers, small and A ship, in short which is strong the last and find word our attentions. large; and aircraft carriers, to men- enough to take her place in the "line strong the last, and final word—our sure

A buttleship in the strongest unit powerful enemy fleet in existence. of the fleet to-day. The main points In Nelson's day such a ship was



Vice - Admiral Harper, entered the Navy in 1888 was for three years commander of the Royal yacht Victoria and

almed at are heavy guns, with long a range as possible; massive side and deck armour to protect the of battle" when faced by the most shield. It we were to abolish battle-

But In This Case It Is A Target That Can Hit Back!

called a "ship of the line," a term which has now given place to "capital" ship.

Guarding Empire's Food

IT will be seen, therefore, that the term "capital ship" is not necessarily synonymous with battleship. At the moment it is; but if battleships, as we know them, were abolished, the next most powerful unit would automutically become the capital ship, or ship of the line.

A nation such as ours, dependent. for its very existence on the sea, must maintain a navy capable of defending the seas. Geographically situated as we are, with parts of the Empire joined not by land, but by sea highways; with millions who live in the heart of the Empire—Britain dependent on imported food to save them from starvation, our naval needs: are far and away above those of a self-supporting continental nation.

But must this navy of ours contain. buttleships? Are these powerful, but. expensive, leviathans, really necessary? Should we put so many eggs:

into one basket? ... There is only, one answer, Yos. The buttleship is the king-pin of the defence system of our Empire" or. in other words, "Britain's full-back." A fleet of buttleships forms h solid rampart of scapower, and acts as a

PLEASE Turn To Page 3.

OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

******** Black-Out For Next Month

The Director of Air Raid Precautions announces that black-out exercise will be held on the night of March 5, 1940, but the actual time will not be published. Previous black-out exercises have generally commenced at 9 p.m. in the evenings, but it would be unwise of the general public to assume that this or future exercises will be held at this

In order to comply with the Lighting Control Regulations, the neneral public should, if they have not siready done so, purchase now the necessary material to black out their premises, and if possible, put their darkening scheme through a trial test before Minrch 5, 1940, and thus satisfy themselves that their scheme of darkening will meet the requirements of the Lighting Control Regulations.

Neutrals

Won't Tolerate Aid For Finland

PARIS, Feb. 18. (Reuter).— According to authoritative in- Shella Braga were the flower girls, formation received in Paris to- featuring puffed sleeves and long full night, Germany has officially in- skirts. that she would regard any direct Finland as a breach of neutrality.

This is considered to have been the Braga was the organist. reason why Sweden' rejected the Finnish appeal for military assistance against Russia.

Believed To Be A Bluff

The German attitude is held to prove that any country aiding a woollen coat, brown hat and accessornelghbour attacked by Russla must les. reckon on having to deal with Germany as well as the Soviet.

ment her threat as it is against her interests to create another war front. lame, with Marie Stuart cap, unarmed German rerchantman." view that the solution of the problem of saving Finland lies with the Scandinavian States.

10,000 Italians To Aid Finns PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).--A legion of 10,000 Italians living in France, headed by Camillo Marabini, President of the Italian Garibaldeans who fought in Argonne during the Great War, is leaving for Finland shortly. according to a statement by Signor Marabini to the newspaper, "L'Intransigeant."

BRITAIN PROTESTS TO NORWAY

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gian Government, and in the view of His Majesty's Government, it was incumbent on the Norwegian Government when she entered Bergen and requested passage through Norwegian territorial waters to subject her to Peninsula Hotel. a very careful search.

ful for full particulars with regard to turquoise-blue crepe rayonne ensemhow the search was conducted and ble with brown accessories. what facts discovered.

Perfunctory Examination

Reports received by H.M. Government have indicated that the examination was perfunctory as shown by the fact that no prisoners were discovered.

After referring to Norway apparently failing in her duty as a neutral, the note asks if they had mounted Cossacks in the field with found British prisoners aboard what spring. would they have done with them? Either they would have released

position. that they had every right to complain

Government. The 300 Britishers were kept for weeks and months in close confinement and if those prisoners had found were destroyed. their way to a camp in Germany, the Norwegian Government would have plicated by the muddy condition of prised at Britain's violation of the two small torpedo boats which could, the internment of the Altmark.

REDS CONFIDENT VICTORY NEAR

FROM PAGE ONE

Strong Points Captured On the north-east coast of Lake Ladoga, Finnish forces repelled enemy attacks and captured some strong points. They took eight guns, destroyed three tanks and about 70 convoy vehicles, and left 570 dead. In the Kuhmo sector there were skirmishes in which the enemy lost

130 killed. A spirit in the second Air Raid Slaughter . on one Finnish town on Saturday.

BRITAIN DEFENDS ACTION ALTWARK INCIDENT

Saturday's Weddings

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday at the Emmanuel Mission Church. Kowloon, when Miss Anne Julenia Johnson became the bride of Mr. James Braga. The civil ceremony took place at the Registry in the morning before Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Registrar of

the eldest daughter of Mr. C. "intolerable" conditions aboard the is the eldest daughter of Mr. C. E. Johnson, and the late Mrs. prison ship, thus leaving no doubt Johnson, of Iron River, Wiscon- but that the Norwegian protest will sin, U.S.A.

Hongkong, is office manager of the aboard, & Co., Ltd.

crepe and carried a bouquet of pink action to liberate them.—United daisies. Little Bethle Ractz and Press. and wore frocks of pink silk taffeta

laway, and Mrs. Clift was the Matron aid given by those countries to of Honour. Mr. A. M. Braga undertook the duties of best man.

The Rev. Mr. M. B. Birrel officiated at the ceremony, and Miss Caroline The reception was held at the

residence of Dr. and Mrs. Clift. The honeymoon is being spent at Repulse Bay, Mrs. Braga went away in a dark brown woollen dress with amber coloured accents, and a blue

Bride From Scotland

The Press, however, opines that WEARING an exquisite wedd-Newspapers generally stress the and carrying a bouquet of white They demanded Lat Norway pay carnations and sweet peas, Miss full indemnity for the loss of the vessel and the death and injuries of the Kowloon Union Church on Germans requested and were granted the death early this morning of Mrs. Saturday on the arm of Mr. F. assurances of an adequate escort for Carmen Soares Alves, wife of Mr. Edwards, for her marriage to the Altmark. Mr. William Morley Wright.

is the elder daughter of Mr. Péter laws of international justice."- Sonres. Sinclair, architect, and Mrs. Sinclair, United Press. of Buckhaven, Fife, Scotland.

She was attended by Mrs. W. R. Grant, as matron-of-honour, in midnight-blue velvet, Miss Elizabeth

Highland dress. The bridegroom, who is a marine Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Wright, of "piracy" and "murder." Scarborough, Yorkshire, England.

officiated, and Mrs. F. McAulay was Germans. We shall present the bill." one can expect aid from us."— have returned to the President

at the organ. The reception, was held at the When the happy couple left for the H.M. Government would be grate- honeymoon, Mrs. Wright wore a

FINNS MAY FIRE BIG FORESTS

FROM PAGE ONE

Russians could use "feint" manocuvres to the incident is noted here.— were taken on board the British United Press, and let the woods burn until they Reuter.

The note concludes by demanding swamps which are now frozen. The widespread understanding of the ac- but protest energetically as the force thicks woods covering the country will tion in rescuing so many distressed against them was overwhelming. be difficult to penetrate, even in prisopers.—Reuter. Everywhere, except on the Peisamo York Times to-day refers to the Al-bring this to the knowledge of the spring and summer, it was pointed. front in the far north, Soviet losses tmark as a "floating Nazi concen- British Government and protest have been tremendous in proportion tration camp."

of Finns. In the air, the Russians have unquestioned superiority, but it is not presence of the German sailors on "It was a clear violation of Norpale, there was the usual artillery as great. The Finns attribute this board would seem to indicate, there wegian territorial waters, deep into dendual change to their constantly was considerable justification for the h Norwegian fjord, and cannot be a improving aerial defences and the British action.—Reuter.

| Recommendation was instructarrival of planes and volunteer pilots

from abroad.

war. planes on pontoons, instead of skils; but it is clear, that if we are unable co-operation."--United Press. when the snow and ice melts. How- to defend neutrality, Germany has Reuter adds that the Norwegian over, there is a short period in the not acquired the right to carry the Prime Minister conferred with the spring when neither pontoons nor war to our territorial waters. skils are feasible because of the slushy "Norway has maintained a policy expressed the "horror and indigna-HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). Ice. Therefore few landing places in of neutrality, even in the case of the tell by the Norwegian Govern--Forty were killed in a Soviet raid the north which are big enough for Finland. Norway has deep sympathy mont at this gross violation of Norwith Finland but our defence is built way's neutrality." planes with wheels.

Lord Halifax Rejects Norway's Heated Protest

London, Feb. 17. Great Britain has staunchly defended the invasion of Norwegian waters and is understood to have in effect, rejected Norway's indignant protest against the Altmark incident which was received to-day by the British Foreign Secretary.

SEAFORTHS

IN AFFRAY

Japan To Protest

In Shanghai?

through the Municipal Police.

It said that on Tuesday last the

soldiers quarrelled with employees in the cafe over "a civil matter" after

which they attempted to leave the

was injured and taken to hospital.

A fight ensued in which one soldier

Charity Worker

The Portuguese community has

C. J. M. Alves, of 302 Prince Edward

Born in Hongkong, Mrs, Alves was

a prominent member of the Portu-

Cannot Be Mistake

Oslo, Feb. 17.

guese community, and devoted a

occupied-much of her life.

the Altmark is as follows:

again left Norwegian waters,

Protest Lodged

"The Norwegian force was only

"The Norwegian Government to-

ed to demand from Britain a promise

Reuter.

morning before Mr. T. S.
Whyte-Smith, Registrar of Marriages.

Marriages.

THE BRIDE, who is a missionNavy's failure to discover the British

She wore a graceful gown of hite brocaded silk-crepe with a said the Norwegians must have white brocaded silk-crepe with a soft cowl neckline. Her veil was held in place by a halo of orange held in place by a halo of orange blossoms. White roses and candy-tuft composed her bouquet.

The bridegroom, who is the son of permitted the Altmark to leave formal protest with the British formal protest with the British formal protest with the British

> Motor Department of Messrs, Gilman He added that the Norwegian disorderly conduct of three Sea- that protests against inquiries into Co., Ltd.
>
> If allure to discover the prisoners forth Highlanders in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the Miss Elisabeth Howard, as brides-created a situation which obliged the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in a Japanese ship sinkings are being held in the constant and anti-transfer in the co maid, wore a frock of aqua-blue British Navy to take immediate owned cafeteria last. Tuesday,

Admiralty Congratulations

London, Feb. 18. The First Lord of the Admiralty will not occur in future. Vian for the double rescue of Britons attempted to settle the incident by abuse of our paper. from captivity and Germans from offering 95 yuan payment to the cafe drowning.-Reuter.

German Outburst

Berlin, Feb. 17. Germany has protested to the world and formally to Norway against the "rape of the German steamer Altmark" in Norwegian waters by a British warship whose fire" on the Germans who were fleeing to cover.

An official statement predicted "unforeseen consequences," and protested at Britain's "extreme breach ing gown of ivory satin of International law on a completely Prominent Church And

Lilian Reid Sinclair arrived at German sailors, pointing out that the lost a deeply respected member in

The German Government has told Road. the world that the British attack was Mrs. Alves was 54 years of age, and The bride, who is a school teacher, "a mockery of the most primitive was the only sister of Mr. A. M. L.

Berlin Indignant

country by the Altmark affair.

surveyor, is the eldest son of the late veigh vehemently against the morrow afternoon, and a Requiem evade his responsibility for the in-The Voclkischer Beobachter re- Church on February 26. He was attended by Mr. F. Tyndall as marks.—"Let it be known in London

—Reuter.

Canada Pleased

Ottawa, Feb. 18. The rescue from the Altmark is welcomed in Canada as another naval achievement for Britain.-

France Supports Britain Paris, Feb. 18.

miralty's action regarding the tried to halt the German vessel by purpose of signing any form of con-Altmark is given in well-informed warning shots near Fokksteink. circles, which draw attention to the "The Norwegian torpedo boats the copies of the wireless communicarepeated German violations of Nor- protested against the action of the tions exchanged between the two weginn territorial waters.

American Opinion Washington, Feb. 18.

The Russian attack will be com- | Well-informed quarters are sur-

to the number of troops they have the Washington correspondent of ritorial waters which caused deep the paper states that if the Altmark indignation as it happened for inside were a naval auxiliary cruiser as the a Norwegian fjord.

Foreign Policy

Oslo, Feb. 18. to instruct British ships in the future The spring weather is not expect- M. Koht, Foreign Minister, in a regarding Norwegian territory and ed to make much difference in herial speech at Trondheim referring to the Legation was instructed to tell siciations of neutrality law, said .-- the British Government that the The Finns plan to mount their "The worst case was the Altmark Norwegian Government expects full British Minister and in strong terms

Nazis Compete

On Yangtse

SHANGHAI, Feb. 17. (UP).—According to Japaneso reports, as a result of virtually being driven off from the high seas by the British and French flags, the Nazi flag may appear on the Yangtse with vengeance in competition with the British shipping firms.

The reports said the Carlowitz Company, a well-known German firm is planning to compete with firm, is planning to compete with British firms at soon as the Lower Yangiec is opened to navigation. It is said that already two German vessels are operating be-tween Shanghai and Chinkang.

************** DEBUNKING THE NAZIS

Oslo Paper Becomes Realistic

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The Oslo paper, "Dagbladet," on February Mr. J. P. Braga, and Mrs. Braga of Bergen with the prisoners still formal protest with the British 17 commented ironically on the Ger-Consulate regarding the alleged man report that February 15 was a "successful" day for sea warfare and

The "Handel," referring to its The report said the protest will demand an expression of regret and publication of the German official the punishment of "the perpetrators interpretation of sea warfare, writes: of the brawl," together with payment The German radio broadcast yesterof compensation for damages, and day parts of the article and presented assurances that similar disturbances it as though we had written it ourselves. It was an attempt to gull formed Norway and Sweden Dr. H. L. Clift gave the bride has sent congratulations to Captain The report said the Scafortha vainly Germany and the neutrals by the

Not So Gullible

"In future we cannot see our way to accept any explanation from that quarter and we shall judge every authoritative German notification from the experience we have had with this article."

The same paper, in an editorial comment, describes the Altmark affair as "something which Berlin shricks out to be a frightful breach of Norwegian neutrality" and sets against it the case of German trawlers' violation of Norwegian fisheries and the disappearance of Norwegian ships.

Quezon. Foundering

Japanese Indignant With Captain's Behaviour

great deal of her time to church and Manila, Feb. 17. Berlin, Feb. 18. charitable work. She was one of the The Japanese Consul General, Mr. According to the German News founders of the St. Teresa's Church, Yoshida, has issued a statement Rosemary Grant, in powder-blue Agency, incredible indignation has and her efforts on behalf of charity, charging Captain Onrubia, of the taffeta, and Master Harry Scott, in been aroused throughout the whole although accomplished very quietly, foundered the President Quezon, with "trying to excuse himself by dis-The newspapers continue to in- The funeral will take place to- torting the true facts in order to Milss will be said in St. Teresa's fidel act of leaving the President Quezon ahead of others."

that the tragedy of the Joessing up in such a way that we might The Japanese Consul General The Rev. Mr. K. MacKenzle Dow Fjord has made up the minds of all hope to defend the country but no claimed that Capt. Onrubia could Quezon anytime by using on of the six life-bonts of the Ukishima Maru. He surmised the reason why Capt. The official text of the Norwegian Onrubia failed to take this step was due to the fact that he had seen Admiralty communique regarding the drifting of the second lifeboat "On the afternoon of February 16, President Quezon from the Ukishima while attempting to return to the

the German tankship Altmark was Maru.
escorted into Norweglan territorial He s He stated Captain Siho "absolutely waters by Norwegian torpedoboats, never' requested Capt. Onrubia to Full support for the British Ad- At 4.30 p.m., two British destroyers board the Ukishima Maru for the tract "which is clearly evidenced by British destroyers. The Altmark ships."

Undisguised admiration of the was taken into the port of Ocsund. Mr. Yoshida said that despite bad British Navy's handling of the Alt- The destroyers followed, placing weather the members of the crew mark incident is expressed in mili- themselves in the mouth of the fjord, of the Ukishima Maru "exerted their The most discussed plan calls for tary circles. An official spokesman "After renewed protests the British utmost endeavour" towards rescue them or anyhow have held them burning vast stretches of timber on declared that the British did ex- force, now counting one cruiser and measures. The Japanese public and pending a full examination of the the Eastern Frontier to confront tremely well to act with such energy. five destroyers, retired outside the the crew of the Ukishima Maru "are attacking Russians with a great wall It is emphasised that the Altmark three-mile territorial limit. Some- greatly disappointed with the very of fire in crucial battles. These fires violated International law by con- time later the British destroyers, unfair statements" from Capt. Onwould be set only at strategic points cealing the fact that she had British nevertheless, entered the fjord and rubia. The Japanese consul said his of the inaction of the Norwegian to be no other defence, because the armed. The possibility of a sequel British citizens abourd the Altmark, by the Japanese Foreign Office.—

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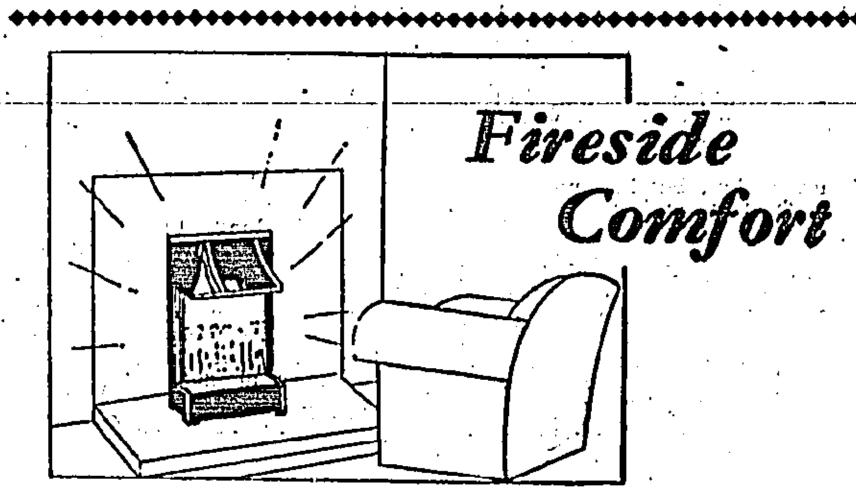
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TELLS OF ORDEAL

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country declaring war on mine, am forced to take your ship as a a.m. E.S.T. to-day and disembarked prize of war to defend our honour an hour later to inspect the Panama and living." ...

Royango Treatment The Alimark's commander's statement quoted a report in Dutch news- JERUSALEM, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -papers describing the treatment of High Commissioner for Palestine, Sir-German prisoners in Africa and add- Harold MacMichael, to-day inspected ed that because of this, any request and addressed Palestinian Arabs and

Roosevelt In Panama Canal

CRISTOBALS, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -President Roosevelt arrived at Gatun I Docks in the U.S.S. Tuscaloosa at 8 Canal locks and defences.

The second second second second by British prisoners in the ship Jewish volunteers in the Auxiliary would be definitely refused. Military Pioneer Corps.

COMBINED

DEFEAT FOURTH IN HONGKONG

Visitors Appear To Lack Confidence

(By "Rex")

A MAGNIFICENT and most valiant effort was made by Saigon at Caroline Hill on Saturday by "Early Bird" in the S. C. M. to take away with them the memory of at least one victory in this port, but they were defeated by an eleven comprising players taken from the various Chinese teams in the Colony, four goals to three.

Had the sun not played tricks with their goalkeeper, Tai, the three first half goals of the local team may not have been scored, and Saigon would probably have attained their desire.

- A fact, which, I daresny, has !escaped most, is that in all four of their matches here, Saigon · lost the toss and played against the sun.

Tai at goal for Saigon was less confident than in his previous matches. Lobs appeared to worry him considerably, and though he gave glimpses of his dashing self, these were few and far between.

felt with Corea and Cul. Cui in Police failed to impress especial played haplmzard football, and was practically useless to his Eastern, and they went on forwards, besides being almost al-ways beaten by Tang. Corea seemed the only player in the defence replying only once, in a very whose spirits refused to be dam-pened. He, however, was guilty of some lackadaisical play after the Hongkong Club ground yessecond goal was chalked up against terday. his side. Had a better player than Lee Shek-yau been pitted against. The frequent blowing of him more disastrous results might the whistle wore on the have resulted. In the second half he completely ignored Lee, and con- nerves of Police, who passed centrated his entire attention towards from one blunder to another. bolstering up the attack, and suc-

ceeded very well. making way for Bach, who played of time and, particularly in the a good spoiling game at right-half. He did not always have the better of Cheuk in the first half, but bottled haphazard fashion. him up completely in the second, and Kong Seng-keng and Tsang pave great support to the forwards. Chung-wan rendered a good Pacini did not cover Chan Takful as effectively as could be wished, account of themselves. Taken

a few opportunities. Ven was the best half on view for of the Police forwards seemed to Saigon. He smothered most of have upset their equilibrium.

Fung's play, and very often forced Owing to injury. Lau Shinhim to play to his halves.

BEST PERFORMANCE

the more dangerous winger, he was what attack the Police had. the one who took the most shots at | Eastern's forwards too, did not

was again the speediest player on raids and results.

view, but his ball control was inferior to anything yet seen. He very with the high shots. He let PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Police Fail Against Eastern

(By "Rex")

His dejectedness made its influence | The robust methods of the

Lau Hin-hon did not relish Buu was moved up to inside-right holding the ball for any length

He allowed him a goal and quite all in all, however, they were much below form. The tactics,

Owing to injury, Lau Shih-tsang was unable to turn out, and was substituted by Tseng Ying-kuen, who, together with Lo Wal-kuen, gave CUICHARD gave his best per- valuable assistance to Hsu King-U formance here. Besides being seng, at centre-half, to break up

the one who took the most shots at goal. He shad little support from goal. He shad little support from Buu who appeared out of place. Buu passed too far in front, and when Guichard retrieved the ball he was either too spent to dribble or take a strong enough kick. Tot was a hard worker, but had no reliance in short passing in front of goal, spoiling all his chances of shooting.

Tien was a live-wire in front of goal, spoiling to walk the ball into goal. Hon was again the speediest player on raids and results.

Eastern's forwards too, did not forwards too, did not function in the same fashion seem to function in the same fashion same fashion seem to function in the same fashion same fashion same fashion seem to function in the same fashion same fashi

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Lucky Lad

A Grand Time Baffin Bay

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Confusion Bay

PERTH PLATE Sca Jay

Melody Star Contact LUSITANO CUI

Racyllght Possible

White Diamond GARRISON CUP

Musketeer Rose Evelyn

Celtle Star KARA KARA HANDICAP

Strathearrick Brutus Discovery Bay

AMOY HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) Lilliber 🖴 King's Warden

Bear Claw MELBOURNE CUP

A Grand Time Lucky Lad Winfred

HONGKONG DERBY

Burford Satinlight Mount Hope Bay

AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Jennifer Rose Flana

Oak Bay WAKOOL HANDICAP

Macquarie River Violet Queen Azteo

PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION)

Connleber Albury Many Thanks

DAILY DOUBLE A Grand Time/Jennifer.

Sir,-I have read your article by "Rex" on Saturday with interest, and must agree that the position needs clarifying. May I suggest that the following interpretation-of-Law 12 could, with advantage, be copied out and hung in all dressing rooms of

Play the Ball all the time.

be sure that your charge is a fair one, and made only when you are making a definite attempt to play the ball. If the ball is not within playing distance and you charge an opponent merely to keep him off the ball, you will be penalised.

W. M. GLOVER.

British Army Again Beat French

LISLES, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-The British Army football XI beat the French Army XI by 2-1 to-day in the third match of the series, and have thus won the "rubber."

TO-DAY'S DERBY WINNER?



Satinlight (R. B. Moller up) being led in by Mrs. V. V. Needs and Mrs. Johannesson after winning the Trial Plate in effortiess fashion on Saturday. Mr. Erlo Moller, the proud owner, la walking alongside. The pony's performance gained for her considerable backing for the Derby to-day,-

SELECTIONS BY "LAST QUARTER"

The following selections were made by "Last Quarter" in the Hongkong Daily Press:

FOOCHOW CUP Confusion Bay Navylight

Eve of Harvest PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION)

Sea Jay Ascot Day Contact

LUSITANO CUP

Racylight Possible Dupont Bay **GARRISON CUP**

Musketeer Celtic Star KARA KARA HANDICAP

Brutus Twilight Star

Rose Evelyn

Dick Turpin AMOY HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

Humdrum Eve

Lilliber Galaxy

MELBOURNE CUP

Baffin Bay Lucky Lad A Grand Time

HONGKONG DERBY Burford

Satinlight

Spicylight AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Lancashire Lad

Peaceful Vlew WAKOOL HANDICAP

Violet Queen Poconos Macquarie River

PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION)

Viceroy Albury

Many Thanks

DAILY DOUBLE Baffin Bay/Jober

LEADING. **JOCKEYS**

The following is the list of jockeys If you must charge an opponent, and how they stand after Saturday's

. 1	lst	2nd	3rd
R. B. Moller	3	_	_
P. Y. T. Wei	2	3	1
D. Black	I	1	1.
B. L. Tao	1	1 1	-
H. J. A. Hearne		-	1
C. Encarnacao		_	1
H. C. Pih		_	·
V. V. Needa		· 1	2
B. A. Proulx		.1.	1
G. P. Gram		1	-
W. H. Davles	•	1	-
S. C. Liang		1	-
L. B. Chao		-	1
Ip Kul-ying		-	I
C 11/ Dan			1

ARMSTRONG-GARCIA BOUT POSTPONED ONCE MORE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18 (UP)-The State Boxing Commission have postponed the Armstrong-Garcia bout once more, and have set the date at March I because of a rope burn re-ceived by Garcia on his leg while training last week

Doctor W. L. Carver said that the sore looked like a boll. Commissioners Jules, Covey, Everett and Sanders have accepted Dr. Corver's

Eddie Meud, Armstrong's manager, sald, "Garcia is trying to run out on

Junior Golf Championship

The semi-final of the junior cham-pionship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was played at Fanling yester.

J. W. Mayhow beat W. L. Alexander 6 and 3 and H. N. Williamson received a walk over from N. K. Littlejohn who scratched.

SAIGON Entries and Handicaps To-Morrow For

The following are the entries and handicaps for the

12.00 noon.-Bear Claw, Blue Ex-Confusion Bay, Conquering Time, Desert Chief, Eve of Harvest, Galaxy, Happy Eve, Hyndford Bridge, Jennifer, Joher, King's Warden, Lilliber, Navylight, Racylight, Red Feather, Rob Roy, Rose Emily.

CHATER CUP

(161), Charlesber (161), Clember Time (145), Some Hope (143), (161), Common View (161), Crai- Strathdoon (158), The Leopard gavad (161), Dingo (158), Distinctive Time (101), Dupont Boy (101), (140), West Lake (153), Wilber Eve of Dancing (161), Eve of Folly (147). Wild Cat (160), Willynilly (158), Eve of Hunting (158), Eve of (150). Peace (158), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest (158); For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (161), Gretber (161), Hillaboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (101), Jane Doc (161), Johnber (158), Lauraber (161), Lending Time (161), Little Amicus Curine (165), Ascot Day Mount Hope Bay (161), Olibway Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152). Princess (155), Lusitania (161), (161), O'Lan (158), Omaha (161), Cairntoul (155), Catterick Bridge Oomph (158), Osage (155), Potricia (152), Cheerful Star (155), Circo (161), Possible (158), Prince Charm- (155), Connieber (152), Contact ing (161), Rucylight (161), Resisting (152), Fair Chance (155), Far View Time (158), Ronson (158), Roso (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch-Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), (161), Satinlight (161), Through (161), Spicylight (161). White Diamond (158).

CANBELEGO HANDICAP

Landings (152), King's Privilege (155), Shuttlecock (152), Sparrow (152), Murrumbidgee (135), Na- (152), Vanity Fair (153), Viceroy tional Victory (140), Rising Star (155), Warrego River (152), Winnie (135), Roolfly (152), Snowy River (155). (140), Sydney Lad (155), Victory Day (152).

ROYAL NAVY CUP

Clowner (155), Double Chance (168), Idol (148), Emergency Call (140). February Fourth (158), Guinness February Fourth (155), Fei Ying Time (163), King Kong (168), Mus- (140), Good Morning (168), Lanca-keteer (157), Smiling Thru (161), shire Chap (148), Matador (161). Strathbannock (168), Tiny Tim Meteor (145), Phoenix (152), Popu-(155) Tribute (161).

ALBURY STAKES (FIRST SECTION)

3.00 p.m.—A Green Time (152), (140). Alfber (155), Australian Diamond (155), Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152), Cairntoul (155), Cheerful Star man (152), Franklin (155), Grand (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber d'Oriente (152), Quick Despatch (161), Eve of Folly (158), Eve of Wiceroy (155), Winnie (155).

KILLARA HANDICAP

(165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas (161), Law And Older (155), Blandford (157), Bredon (155), Centre Court (155), Derby Day (155), Happy Landings (152), King's Privilege (152), Murrumbidgee (135), Pumpernickel (152), PLEASE Turn To Page 9,

Rising Star (135), Roolfly (152), Snowy River (149), Sydney Lad-

CHEEFOO HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) 4.00 p.m.—Bistre (100), Chatterbox (155), Dekko (146), Double Chance (146), Estover (146), Gold Coin (153), Golden Cow (150), Kut Cheung (160), National Guard (140), 12.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (161), Night View (163), Oranje (Boven Attacking Time (158), Bronze Arrow (153), Plet Hein (152), Plain View (101), Burford (101), Care Free (150), Shipmaster (161), Smiling (156), The Tigress (148), This Time

ROOTY HILL DERBY AND SPORTS CLUB CUP

4.30 p.m.—A Good Time (152), A Green Time (152), Alfber (155), (155), Australian Diamond (155), man (152), Forehand Drive (152), Franklin (155), Grand Allegiance (161), Smashing (152), Income Tax (155), Jungle Princess (152), King's Caprice (155). Kitti (152), Lucky Lady (155), Many Thanks (155), Maple Star (152), Molody Star (155), Mint Julep (152). Nancy Lee (152), Perola d'Oriente 1.00 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella (152), Powerful Kid (155), Princess (165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Claro (152), Quick Despatch (155), (155), Centre Court (155), Happy Radon (155), Sapper (155), Sca Jay

CHEEFOO HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

5.00 p.m.—Ascot Vale (168), Bres-1.30 p.m. - Celtic Star (105), say (158), Desert Star (108), Ebony lar Star (145), Portrush (165), Radium Star (143), Starlet (140), Sunshine Susie (148), Talkative (163), Tiny Tim (148), Wild Bear

RACING STAKES

5.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (161), (155), Circe (155), Fair Chance Attacking Time (158), Blue Skies. (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch- (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Burford Allegiance (152), Income Tax (155), (161), Clember (161), Craigavad King's Caprice (155), Many Thanks (161), Distinctive Time (161), Du-(155), Maple Star (152), Perola pont Bay (161), Eve of Dancing (155), Radon (155), Sea Jay (155), Hunting (158), Eve of Peace (158), Shine Again (155), Sparrow (152), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest Springhurst (152), Vanity Fair (155), (158), For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (161), Gret-ber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155). Hopeful Star (161), Jane Doc (161), 3.30 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella Johnber (158), Kentucky (155), (105), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Lauraber (161), Law And Order

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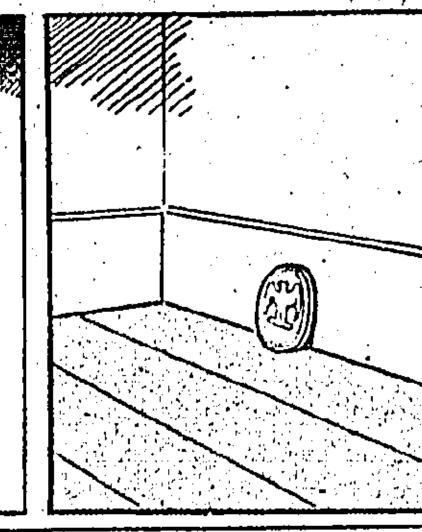
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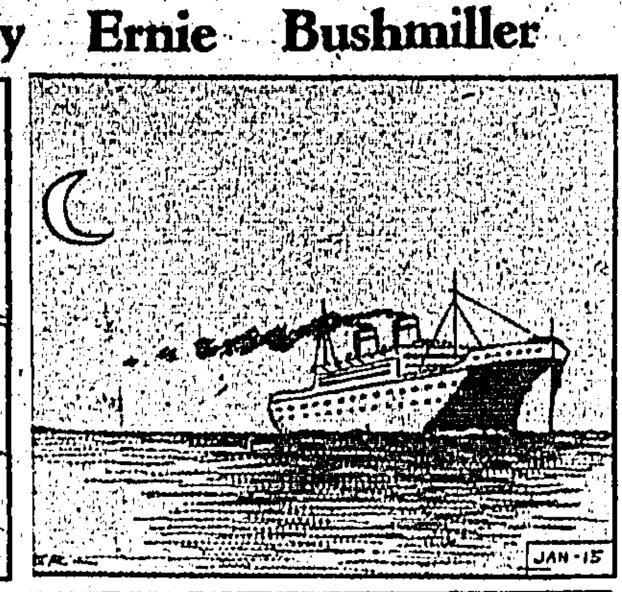
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(By "Fly-half")

AT SOOKUNPOO on Saturday afternoon, the properly. Army obtained a convincing win over the Police by 21 points (three goals and two tries) to 3 (a penalty goal) through superior work behind the scrum. The Force missed Luscombe badly at the base of the scrum where Morrison, really a wingforward, after some wild passing appeared to some very nekward moments. prefer touch kicking when in possession.

Another notable absentee for Police was Searle, hard-working forward. Fay was much below form stand off half, and was to casily beaten by Waite, who evaded his high tackles with ease.

line-outs, and Innes in the loose.

ARMY SUBSTITUTES

IN A FEATURELESS GAME on

Saturday a Navy XV drew with Club

"A", sixteen points each, by two

of Club, turned out for the Navy.

THE HONG KONG

The tiffin interval will be after the fourth race on the first four days of the Meeting.

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Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day touch kicking weak. including tax for all persons includ-

within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Timns will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure. SERVANTS' PASSES

Passes for Servants will be issued

Hongkong, 11th February, 1940.

Saigon Suffer Fourth Defeat In Hongkong

(By "Rex")

(Continued from Page 8.)

EXCELLENT EXHIBITION

Hau Yung-sang was superb at

seen in attack, whilst they were seen in attack, whilst they were late in getting up in defence, and late in getting up in the second late in defence in defence in defence. Shouldered the work of Leung Wingshouldered the shell the field. He beautiful pass, Tang love the field the feel defen with few exceptions did no backing worry him enough at times to put clear field. Guichard ran in and the ball and headed it in. up at all. Dempsey featured in the him off his shots.

FASTEST FORWARD

and Coombe, who were substituted in some fine centres which were goalmouth. Tai misjudged the ball yards. JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1940
I7th, 19th, 20th, 21st and 24th
February
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often as possible. Sutherland, be- the bud. TAI TESTED

sides hooking well, was to the fore in the loose. Millar was prominent THE Chinese were pressing almost other, and their final goal. in line-ups and in the loose, especial- I from the whistle and Tal was Tot received from a clearance by Members are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE ly in foot rushes.

It is several times before Tien was Pacini to tap to Tien who dribbled past Fung to slip to Hoa. Hoa through the past Fung to slip to Hoa. Hoa through the past for the Army. Birrell, Berry and Marsh converted the ball to Fung's feet for the latter covered and sent in a weak shot, the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a weak shot from the latter covered and sent in a to beat Tai with a first timer, open-ball dribbled over the goal line.

often over-ran the ball or could not but in a sudden spurt Hau managed check himself in time to centre to boot the ball out on almost the

Guichard wasted a golden opportunity of opening for Salgon soon

Tin-sang to give one of his finest performances to date. He cleared several times coming through the strongly and in great style with both ordeal shaken, but with flying football. his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hau obtained possession to to the wrong man. Lee Tin-sang send a long pass to Fung who nodded gave a nice though subdued exhibi- the ball to Chan. Padini was in attendance, but Chan managed to With their halves out of gear, Taylor against him in the second the Saigon attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net.

the Police three's were seldom period, and although the big with flying colours. His 'roving Hsu stopped the Salgon attack al- Police's ten men to stage a series of

beat Cheung with an unstoppable shot from close in.

Three minutes from the resumption MANG Kwong-sum was the fastest Lee had a tussle with Bach whom he pletely by surprise, equalised for I forward for the Chinese, and got beat and centred right into Salgon's Eastern with a grand shot from 35

wisely gave their wings the wall as and most of the work was nipped in from seven yards out. Saigon were making superhuman

Taylor kicked a good penalty goal ing the scoring three minutes from Ven; Guichard, Buu, Tot, Tien and Hoa.

Eastern Beat Police 4-1

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past at least two goals which should have been saved.

Blackburn was the better of the two backs, clearing cleanly and strongly. Chan. Kong-yiu was too slow and was always beaten to the U ball by Chung. STEADY DEFENDER

COUGH stood head and shoulders U above both North, on the right, and Brooks, on the left. He covered Lee very well, and allowed him [little scope. North was at times too [slow but used his body to good advantage in stopping diminutive Hou. Brooks seldom had the better of Cheung who later desisted from go-

Wong Chi-man, despite encouraging remarks from the spectators, played gallant though fruitless football. Howlett worked very hard for right-back. He totally eclipsed Lee THE Chinese attacked through Hsu hard to surmount. C. Pile was out-

TEN MEN START

IVE and Pile substituted for him at

Eastern attacked through Chung who passed the ball backwards to Hsu who, catching McHardy com-

Just before half-time Hau dashed

latter took it well up to send in a nice daisy cutter which struck efforts and were rewarded with an- McHardy's boot and was deflected into the, net. This goal was disallowed after consultation with the

> Eastern.-Lau Hin-hon; Kong Sengkeng, Tsang Chung-wan; Lo Wai-kuen, Hsu King-seng, Tseng Ying-kuen; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hoi, Lee Tak-kee, Wu Gay-isang and Hau Ching-to. Police,-McHardy, Blackburn, Chan Kong-yiu; North, Gough, Brooks; Wong Chi-man, Howlett, Wong Man-kwai, Ferrier and Pile.

ENTRIES AND HANDICAPS (Continued from Page 8.)

(161), O-Lan (158), Osage (155), Patricia (161), Prince Charming (161), Racylight (161), Resisting Time (158), Ronson (158), Rose Charming (161), Rose Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), Royber (161), Wings (161), Smashing

Through (161), Victoria (161), White

Diamond (158), Xenophon (181).
ALBURY STAKES (SECOND SECTION) 6 p.m. — A Good. Time (152), Albury (155), Amicus Curiae (155), Australian 'Dlamond (152), Brown PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to Forehand Drive (152), Jungle Princess (152), .. Kittl. (152), Longdon admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

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goals and two tries to two goals, a penalty goal and a try. Both teams DEFEATING T. C. Monaghan and Miss M. Griffiths packed short, Navy having only six forwards and Club seven. D. Hynes, 4-2 in the final, Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. Litton yesterday won of Club, turned out for the Navy.

Macrae, Heaseman and Hynes set the American mixed doubles tennis tournament on the a good example to a forceful Club Hongkong Cricket Club courts in aid of the British War On no pretext will children be perpeck, which had the better of things Organisation Fund. Fifty-six pairs participated and the mitted in either enclosure during the up forward. Carruthers was an up forward. Carruthers was an enterprising stand-off half, who made tournament was divided into five sections.

valuable openings. Club's backs hai badminton, were winners of Grimins. | blue section, met Lee Wai-tong | and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu, win- Mrs. A. E. Grasett distributed the

A hefty Navy pack had the better green section, in the semi-final 4-3, bottles of liqueur. green section, in the semi-man Ho The Entertainment Committee of the In the bottom half of the draw Ho British War Organisation Fund acknow-

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for Navy, the second being converted by Private Box holders ONLY on application to the Secretary, 1st floor, Exchange Building.

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By Order, O. B. BROWN.

Hongkong 11th February, 1940.

For Navy, the second being converted and scored quick tries through back and scored quick tries through and scored quick tries to. Long and scored quick tries through and scored quick tries through

B. O'M. Deane and Miss their first appearance in the tourna-

touch on every occasion. His try mass a wonderful example of good was a wonderful example of good backing up after a loose ball and a smart dash for the line. Bowden, on the wing, received few opportunities.

A hefty Navy mask had the better area occasion. It is try mass a wonderful example of good winners of red section, beat Capt. In the semi-fund of the better wing, received few opportunities.

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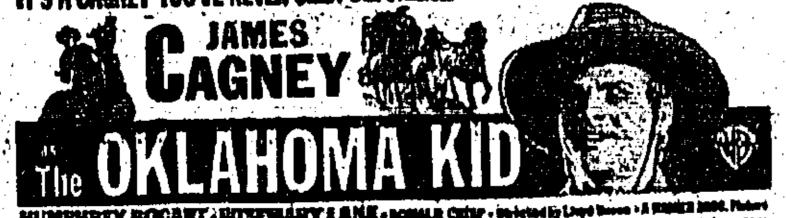
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"Of one thing Mr. Wells and the given by Mr. Wells: men behind him may be sure," they said: "any attempt to bomb German that article," he said. towns would be answered by our Air is evidence of weakness and a scream the attacks have lost apostles of hatred have perhaps not hesitate to bomb Warsaw ruthlessly momentum and the drive

"For every bomb dropped on Berlin ten would be dropped on London.
"Moreover, after the experience already gathered by them off the German coast, British airmen know better than does the ngitator Wells"

and brutally. They would have appears now to be near an edge exactly the same to London in September last, had they dared.
"I am quite sure that we in London in September last, had they dared.
"I am quite sure that we in London in September last, had they dared.

"I am quite sure that we in London in Ouring the battle 200,000 could send us, and give them more bounded.

During the battle 200,000 soviet troops—fresh and well equipped—have been burtled. better than does the agitator Wells at his desk what any such attempt must come to. I would rather bomb would mean for them

night.

turn the safety switch control-

ling the depth-charge appara-

destroyer's 118 survivors, said: "The

"I don't know the man's name.

"After he had turned on the safety

charges might have exploded. They

would have killed many of us.

Mr. Wells Replies

And this was the reply to Berlin "It is perfectly correct that I wrote

the Germans than starve them. In This was repeated on the German the end it will be quicker, and it will radio at intervals throughout the leave the Germans, it may be, in a healthier state of mind."

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place the losses at 5,000 killed and 15,000 wounded; Three of four "lost" divisions, of

about 70,000 men, are cut off round Kitela. They were isolated by suicide patrols which cut their of the sinking destroyer Grenville and saved the lives of many. communications.

During a week-end more than He crawled twenty feet to "It thrilled us to see him going 100 bombs were dropped on towns in along the deck. We knew what his North Finland. One man was killed; bravery and quick thinking two machines were shot down. This brings the total of bombers destroyed -Able-Seaman-W.-Pitt,-one-of-the -Pitt,-who-is-nineteen,-and-lives-in-

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They have their maternity hospital, for the time being in Perlgueux in which a tiny Strasbourger is born Chamber of Commerce building. The nearly every day. Strasbourg's Prefect of the Bas-Rbin Department maternity hospital was transferred and his staff also have their offices here with doctors, nurses and full here, and the Strasbourg tax collector has been accommodated by his staff.

Mgr. Douvier, coadjutor to the Perigueux colleague.

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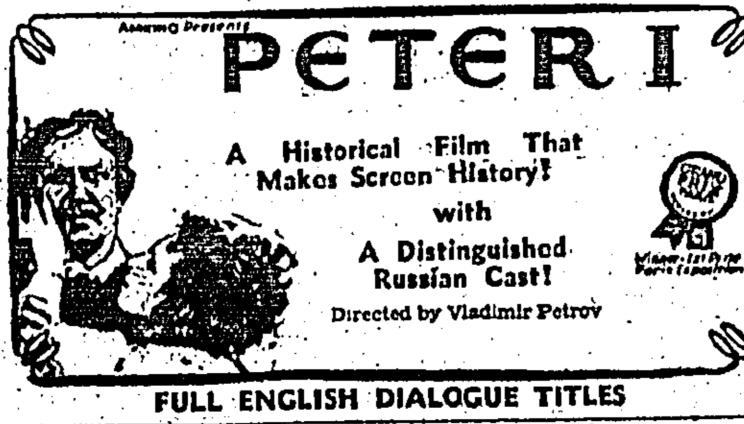
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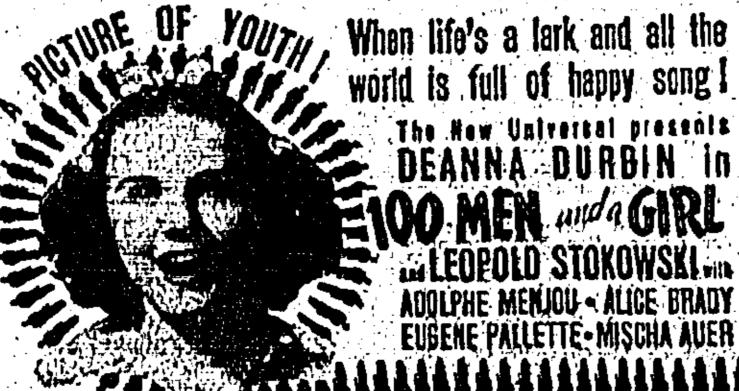
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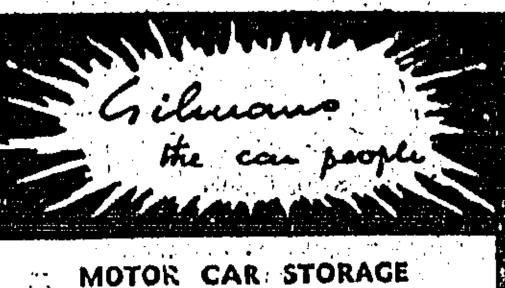
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one could only expect the worst",

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were not at the British helm, the people in London would realise that the tragedy of Joessing Fjord only fills the entire German people with

a single resolve; we shall present our

A Copenhagen message says that the Social Democratic Party's newspaper,

the "Demokraten", in an editorial

to-day points out that it has previously criticised the German

torpedoing of neutral ships but now, in connection with the Altmark

affair, it is likewise criticising England

for bringing warfare into Norwegian

"Where now are the rights of

neutral countries?" asks the paper,

adding: "Germany has now the ex-

ample of the Altmark for making warnings of long-range con-

sequences'. Yes! But why in all

that is reality should the war so bur-

Norway's Position

"Norway is only trying to maintain its

neutrality, but both sides claim that

The paper also asserts that other neutrals concur with Norway's stand

and are determined that there shall be no further extension of the Alt-

mark affair, which would cause fur-

ther violations of neutrality, because

claims to such steps would find no

LATEST

Norway acted wrongly."

basis in international law."

The "Berlingske Tiden" says:

Germany to-day.

declares the paper.

territorial waters.

den neutrals?"

Churchill.

|| heaping its vitriolic abuse

Fury Over The Altmark

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

provided the German propaganda department with a

on Mr. Winston Churchill,

Below we publish

BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).—The Altmark incident has

Finns Admit o Miles Penetrations

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

HELSINGFORS, FEB. 19 (DOMEI).—THE RED ARMY HAS SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THROUGH THE CENTRE OF THE MANNERHEIM LINE, FINLAND'S LAST RE-MAINING STRONGHOLD ON THE KARELIAN ISTHMUS, REPORTS REACHING THE CAPITAL INDICATE.

IT IS STATED THAT THE POSITION IS CRITICAL.

Fighting is developing in favour of the overwhelming Soviet forces.

According to field reports, the Finnish G.H.Q. has now ordered a general retreat.

Such an attack would seriously

Swedish Aid Sought

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

The "Politiken" to-day reports from

TERRIFIC LOSSES

The position of the Finns, it is stated, has become untenable as the result of the terrific losses they have sustained in the nineteen days of constant Russian pressure.

Losses on both sides have been particularly heavy on the Summa, Lake Gaola and Taipale River fronts during the past 24 hours.

The Russians, because of their superiority in man- Council has acted swiftly in its power, are more able to stand these losses.

AIR FORCE CO-OPERATES

In an attempt to disorganise the retreating Finns and to prevent them from re-forming new lines behind the Mannerheim Line, the Russians are throwing all their Crown Land. aerial resources into the | It is feared that the Red Army may

battle. Intensified bombing and stra- coast across the frozen Gulf of Finfing attacks are being launched on the Finnish positions in the

rear, causing heavy casualties. to be pouring through six is now approximately 12½ miles be- the buildings. breaches in the Mannerheim Line.

The Red infantry is being led by massive divisions of Russian mechanised units.

Five Miles Penetration

Stockholm that the Russians have advanced five miles into the Manner-SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" helm Line near Summa. STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18 (Domei).-Information reaching Stockholm now indicates that the Soviet forces have penetrated the crumbling Mannerhelm Line on the Summa front. Their mechanised vanguard is now

reported to be five miles inside the says that a Socialist member of the Finnish lines.

Finnish G.H.Q., it in feared, will be Swedish Premier if Parliament could forced to order a general retreat in be permitted openly to debate the order to prevent the two wings on question of Swedish aid to Finland. either side of Summa from folding The Premier will give his reply on

CLEARING OUT THE SQUATTERS

> Urban Council Acts Swiftly In K'loon

AS FORECAST by the "Telegraph" on Saturday, the Urban campaign against squatters, following gazettal earlier this month of wider powers under the Emergency Regulations, which now permit eviction of unauthorised persons from

Swooping suddenly on the Kowloon City area bounded by Grampian Road take advantage of the new situation and Lion Hill Road, Urban Council to effect a landing on the southern officers, assisted by Police, took possession of several hundred buildland, in order to attack the right ings this morning. flank of the retreating Finnish forces.

About four thousand people were evicted during the course of the compromise the situation in Viborg, morning and P.W.D. coolles immedi-Soviet infantry is now stated second largest city in Finland, which ately commenced work on destroying

Camp Offer Rejected

Alternative accommodation at the COPENHAGEN, Feb. 18 (UP), Kam Tin refugee camp in the New Territories was offered to all those who were dispossessed but, at 11 a.m., few had accepted the offer. Most of the people desire to remain

in the urban areas. The report adds that the Finnish Amazing scenes were witnessed as censor permitted this statement to the P.W.D. coolles commenced to pass, the action being interpreted as being aimed to bolster the Finnish tear down the buildings. Many of the ejected occupants returned to aid in the work of destruc-

plea for Swedish military aid. Another report from Stockholm tion, in order to salvage the wood and tin which had comprised their Swedish parliament has asked the former homes. Grampian Road was piled high with their belongings.

Philosophical

no visible signs of distress among the dispossessed people who, fore-warned a fortnight ago, accepted their situation philosophically.

Conditions in the small township which Government is razing are pro-on appreciation of Russia's vast

bably the filthlest reigning in any on appreciation of Russia's vast part of the Colony. There in no numerical superiority. PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

HONGKONG PREPARES: further photographs of a new

series, specially taken by Norman Soong, of Hongkong's defence preparations. These photographs will appear daily in the "Telegraph".

AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN in a newly-completed position in Hongkong. It is one of many such units installed during the past year. Expansion continues.



A MACHINE-GUN CREW in action somewhere in Hong-

MOSCOW, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—A feeling is growing

among the public here that the Red Army will over-run

Victory

Though the nuthorities probably

Confident

FIRE BIG FORESTS By_HUBERT_UEXKUELL

("UNITED PRESS" STAFF CORRESPONDENT)

WITH THE FINNISH NORTHERN ARMIES, Feb. 18 (UP).--Finnish military authorities, to-day studied possibilities of setting fire to the thick forests on the Eastern Frontier to repulse the Red Army.

The Soviet forces, after hurling thousands of men against the Mannerheim Line, attempting to slice the country in two sections and to penetrate Finnish defences in the north for two months, are in about the same Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200.

positions as when they made Allowance. Entrance \$10. One and a their first rush across the border Quarter Miles. their first rush across the border early in December. They hold L. Dunbar's CONFUSION BAY 150 1b. considerably less of Finland than eve's eve of harvest 148 ib. they did four weeks ago.

But the Finns realise that their greatest "ally"—the weather will soon be gone and new methods of defence will have to be ready.

The longer and warmer days of \$8.00. spring will enable the Russians to attack day and night, on the ground A "Telegraph" reporter could see Finland within a few weeks. share this optimism, they are not and in the air, while Finnish This confidence is based partly predictions were not fulfilled. superiority on skills and with know predictions were not fulfilled.

Cossacks To Fight?

There are reports that the Soviets MOSCOW, Feb. 17. (Domei).—The plan to put tens of thousands of Leningrad Command announced that mounted Cossacks in the field with

the Finnish forces in the Karelian spring. Isthmus have suffered heavy losses. The most discussed plan calls for as the result of the Soviet general burning vast stretches of timber on the Eastern Frontier to confront Setting fire to various villages, attacking Russians with a great wall Finnish troops have started retreat of fire in crucial battles. These fires towards Viborg and the area east of would be set only at strategic points Viborg. During the offensive, the and at moments when there appeared Saviet forces have occupied many to be no other defence, because the villages in the Summa sector and in Russians could use "feint" manocuvres western Karelia, two cities on the and let the woods burn until they were destroyed.

> The Russian attack will be complicated by the muddy condition of roads in the spring and numerous awamps which are now frozen. The thick woods covering the country will be difficult to pencirate, even in spring and summer, it was pointed.

Everywhere, except on the Petsamo front in the far north, Soviet losses have been tremendous in proportion HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter), to the number of troops they have -To-day's communique announces thrown into the battle and the number

> questioned superiority, but it is not! PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BY RALPH FORTE, "UNITED PRESS" CORRESPONDENT

WITH THE FINNISH SKI PATROL IN RUSSIA, Feb. 18 (UP).—After a twelve hours' strenuous hiking and skiing trip from the last Finnish outpost on the southern part of the central front, I crossed into Russia to-day and penetrated the Karelian "Republic" with a hardy patrol of Finnish ski- | and the thermometer showed 20 do-

Inni highway to the dugout of an tie coast to Lake Ladoga-three officer in this sector some miles from frontier soldiers welcomed me with

From there I proceeded by horse sled to the last Finnish outpost, two miles from the Russian border. From thence I continued on skis over fields intricately lined with the tracks of former skiers.

The snow was over four feet deep

grees below zero. As I reached the border-eight feet motored from Licksn on the wide and not fortified from the Arclusty shouts.

Grotesque Sights

from the cold, told me that this was the nearest point to the Russians since three Russian buttailons had PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

SPECIAL TO THE "TRLEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. (UP); Maybe this story isn't suspicious but— 1—16 started with a fadio 8:0:8 from the Japanese fabling travier # wireless message from another failing voset, the Fukochi Maru, relayed the atory to=

Bos/Pokyo, which promptly put it on the wires to-4 .- Herlin, No Herlin decided it was good propagands and announced over the radio from Reesen. 5.-Now York heard the atory by radio and put it on the Far Eastern

And this is the story Reesen to di "The Japanese fishing vessel Kyushin Mafu, with a crew of 60. The ski patrols, their faces purple people, was stopped last Tuesday morning by by warship of unknown nationality and was boarded near the Philippine Islands.

"Nothing has since been heard of the Kyughin Maru." FOOTNOTE: No Tokyo newspapers or news agencies carry the operated with their ground forces and bombed the Finnish troops and post-Finnish Communique

Soviet troops on the Kurleian front

No striking activity was seen in

are now pursuing Finns along the

entire front, the communique claim-

other fronts. Soviet aircraft co-

const and a railway station.

- Sovieta Claim Successes

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

that Russian pressure on the Karelian of Firms. Isthmus has weakened between the In the air, the Russians have un-Gult of Tinland and Vuoksen. Except for local skirmishes and as great. The Finns attribute this

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EXMOUTH

THE DESTROYER Ex-

There were 175 men on Their commander

This was the second destroyer lost in four days. Like the Grenville, the Exmouth, a vessel of 1.475 tons, was a flotilla

Until the beginning of the war the Exmouth was manned by a Portsmouth crew, but it is believed that her present complement were chiefly

She was the first of the 1,475-tons leaders, and was constructed in dry dock in Portsmouth at a cost of £300,000. She was "launched" by

Captain Benson received the D.S.O. last December for successful action against enemy submarines while in

He entered the Navy in 1905, and during the last war was a sublieutenant and lieutenant in H.M.S. Superb, Grand Fleet, until he was selected to specialise in gunnery in

Later he served in the Royal Oak, which was sunk last October at Scapa Flow; in the Frobisher, and in the Iron Duke, the sea-going gunnery firing ship, and Jeilicoe's former flagship, which was bombed at Scapa

Yorkshire, bride had a joyful letter from her husband, Ordnance Artificer Sam Turton, one of the crew of the Exmouth, saying he was coming

home on leave. An Admiralty telegram fold her that her husband was missing, belleved drowned. The couple were married in December, when Turton was home

on leave, by special licence at Wombwell Parish Church. Two hours after the wedding the bridegroom went back to his ship. those two precious honeymoon hours. propaganda which the Nazis are pouring out. The people would much When the telegram came Mrs. Turton took it excitedly from her sister, thinking it would tell of her disrepute. husband's leave. She collapsed when

To Mrs. William Butterfield, of Labournum-avenue, Crook, County Durham, came the same news after This is shown by the fact that the declared sale of the she had sat up all night keeping the fires going to welcome her husband. have arrived the telegram arrived—organ of the Government, is only 80,000 a day. telling her that he was missing and

presumed dead. years of age, was a naval reservist, gularly is, of course, unthinkable. called up at the outbreak of war, and he had been home on leave once since he was called up.

"The last time I saw my husband," propaganda produced daily. Mrs. Butterfield said, "he said he was serving in the Exmouth, but the telegram does not give any indication of what ship he was serving in. "I am hoping that he has been effect. picked up, and that the authorities have not yet found this out." His two children, a boy aged nine

Rosyth women saying that their getting from the Russians all he before them. 0 n. husbands, in Exmouth, are missing, strike back at them later with weat mitted—"The National Movement."

33, acting petty officer, and Wallace Webb received the Distinguished turn on Russia, as it inevitably they are known as the "Hacha Vaughan, 33, 1st cl. stoker. .1 n. Service Medal in the New Year's list would, the Germans would be able to Melody Boys."

/- n. lare missing.

to approach.

"Canada's war efforts can only be described as enormous,"

London Correspondents Bring to You Daily in this Page—the News-Mirror of the War—Highlights of Events which are Making History.

FINISH PATROLS HUNT GHOSTS' IN ENDLESS FOREST ON SUMMA FRONT

LOSS OF CALLS THIS. H. M. S.

Full Details Of Disaster

mouth was sunk by mine or torpedo in the North Sea on January 23. There were no survivors.

was Captain R. S. Benson.

Devonport ratings.

Lady Kelly, wife of the then Com-mander-in-Chief, Admiral Sir John Kelly, in July 1935.

command of the Exmouth.

last October.

Only 24 hours before, a Wombwell,

Second Leave

Butterfield, a stoker, who was 44 hind—to reach a sale of 60,000 re-

and a 15-years-old girl, have been told that their father is believed Telegrams were received by two that Hitler is playing a deep game, forced to sign every form that is set

The men are Henry James Webb, pons they have themselves provided. Seven thousand unarmed Czech 4 n. believed drowned. of the men leaves a family of six

n. Weymouth have also been informed in which Germany fought with the people. 10 n. by the Admiralty that their husbands Finns to gain freedom for them, are Every loyal Czech knows the to be missing within 48 hours under

CAPTAIN HAROLD BALFOUR, Under-Secretary for Air, who arrived in England recently from Canada, revealed that the Allied air strength, already superior to that of Germany, is to be built up to a figure that no rival can ever hope

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enemy of civilisation, are still re-

the Allies stronger than in the Czech

Whispers In Prague

Protectorate and in Austria.

sions at 15 miles a day.

Although there are terrible penalties for listening-in to the D

the Czech State.

membered, even by ardent Nazis ports, decrees and requisitions have studying.

who swallow the fact of the Russo- to be signed by President Hacha and

German Pact because they believe von Neurath. But both men are

needs just now while he prepares to . Only one Czech organisation is per-

A German general told me that soldiers attached to it run about in

series of Soviet disasters in Finland, will kill when his people rise at last

Nowhere in Europe is sympathy for against their oppressors.

when the time came for the Nazis to comic opera uniforms. In Prague

since 1933 is having a boomerang never leaves Prague, where he is would never have arisen."

considered to be a prisoner of the

At the Presidency in Prague re-

Czech patriots told me that the

slaughter, would have begun already

Great discredit has fallen on the German Press, too.

"Voelkischer Beobachter," Hitler's special paper and the

For any German paper-without their own tongue against their op-

Freedom Radio, the people await its voice eagerly. This radio is Pacifist is

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sooner have music or light entertainment. . . . The wireless has fallen into

M.P. He is now the real master of son no one should touch.

Nominal chief von Neurath, the to forbid all field sports.

Russians—and Trees— Look Alike

By RALPH HEWINS, Daily Mail War Correspondent in Finland On the Salla Front.

EARLY this morning I crept through the eerie Finnish forest with a ski patrol and reconneitred the Russian lines only 400 yards away.

For hours we picked our way among the trees. No one spoke. At every step the Russian guns might crash out. I almost wished they had. The strain of listening and watching in that great stillness hurt. But not a shot was fired.

This is the ghostly work the Finns must do every night. A hundred times forest growths appeared to me to take human shape. Were they hiding Russians? No-only trees. Good nerves are needed on these patrols.

WAR AND PEACE

Soviet airmen have received strict orders

to attack only military objectives, says

Moscow. This picture (on the left) shows

the ruins of a building in Viborg after

bombardment by Soviet planes. Below,

a picture of Viborg in peace time.

BORED

We had our orders. Watch for any Russian move. If possible cut off any of the enemy daring to venture too far afield; surprise sentries chilled by the cold; capture prisoners for questioning; break field 'phones; damage commissariat and equipment. But we must not provoke a pitched fight.

At first I was keyed up, expecting uncanny silence to be broken by the roar of artillery, the whine and rattle of shells. and machine-guns. I expected to have to dive into the snow for cover.

But as minutes passed my new-found animal alterness began to yield to careless complacency.

I dared to whisper. A hasty "S-sh" from the officer in charge reminded me we were in

danger. Trees-Or Men?

A glance at the taut features of his men as they strained eyes and. ears for the slightest movement was enough to prevent me from being so careless again.

Time went on and the tension increased. Was I getting jumpy, or: were those trees, that hillock, those shrubs really trees and shrubs, or

As it so often turned out, the whiteclad arm was only a branch: the prone hump only a tree trunk. The officer raised a white-gloved. hand. We waited breathlessly until mysterious signs and passwords en-

abled us to proceed. It was like going to a Ku-Klux-Klan meeting amid an endless forest

THE German people are intensely bored by the interminable floods of of Christmas trees. My imagination began to play more tricks. A ghost wafting down a gentle slope made me start. It was only a skier hurrying across a small open space.

At last we left the danger zone behind. "Is it always as still as this?" I whispered.

Nightmare

"I could start the firing at any moment, but you newspapermen are valuable to us. Be quiet, please," was the reply.

So it is on patrol. Silence. Always. Maurice Argyle, a Windermere silence. Nightly the Finns cover up conscientious objector, told the Cum- to 50 miles with the thermometer The Sudeten Germans are the berland tribunal at Carlisle that he usually showing at least 40 degrees worst, they say, and the most hated would regard a wounded man lying of frost.

Only the most fervid party mem- man is Franck, formerly a Sudeten on the battlefield as a polluted per- Only men bred in the woods, unemotional, though sometimes mystic, He also said he would go so far as can keep it up. They need at least two years' training on skis. Week in and week out they are

Official Protector who was formerly "If we had adopted pacifism," he Hitler's violent anti-Bolshevik German Ambassador in London, is continued, "with the force we now holding up the Russian steam roller propaganda spread over the years confined to the Palace Racyn. He adopt to stop the aggressor, the war in these snowbound forest wilder-For the Russians the strain must jector on condition that he remained be almost greater. They live in a in forestry work, which he is now nightmare of fleeting white shadows

which may suddenly pump death at them with machine-guns at point R.A.F. PLANE

IS LOST SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 18 (UP) .-- According to an official announcement by n. of awards to the Royal Navy. Each march on Leningrad with three divi-

He was then registered as an ob-

Opposed To

A majority of the German people, face of the Czech State, but they are maissance flight. Wives of two ratings living at with memories of the last campaign buried lightly in the bosoms of its) The announcement added that this still tremendously pleased at the name and address of the German he similar circumstances.

CAR MOUNTS PAVEMENT

SWERVING sharply to avoid If there had not been 1,000,000 Undercover whisperers in Prague Czechs living in the midst of a Nazi Chinese boy who from suddenly in real enemy. pay that the Protectorate will no in- majority in Sudstenland. ... front of the vehicle, a car driven by corporated in the Reich on April 1. England that regained the sym- Mr. A.-C. Kella, of 30, Mody Road, as one voice in the realm of ideology." For two months now no foreigner pathy and friendship she lost after mounted the pavement in Mody Road has been allowed to cross the bor- Munich. The Czechs, willing to be yesterday. Mr. Kella, as a result, incorporated in a new State with sustained alight facial injuries. The The official language of the old Bavarla and Austria, hope that 1940 car was slightly damaged, according

DIFFERENCE Naziism And Communism Speak

As One

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The "Washington Post" on Saturday said; "Anti-Communism has proved merely a cloak without basic meaning or substance. Indeed to-day there is extremely little to distinguish Nozi Germany and Communist Russia, which are like two pess in a pode It is no longer Communism but Capitalism which the Nazis regard as the

"Germany and Russia now, speak

LONDON, Feb. 18: (Reuter) --- The Czech State is German, but discon- will bring victory to the Allies, and to a report made to the police last death is announced of Sir Charles, William Cayzer.

Synopsis: Lovely Mary Haines, a happy wife and devoted mother is a member of New York's wealthy "gossip" sat, a part of the circle that lives in the beauty salons, the gown shops and the bridge-clubs. One day she has the "girls" to lunch. She detects the velled barbs of her cousin, Sylvia Fowler, an ace-meddler but is unaware that Sylvia has learned from Olga, her manicurist, that Stephen Haines is "carrying on" with another girl. Quite innocently, she agrees to go to Olga for her next manicure.

FOR no reason at all, Mary had awakened that icy draft blow over her. morning with the firm decision to change her coifterrible mantrap. Soak it, please, fure.

ing to understand. Nancy Blake, off again that day for 'Australia had laughed affectionately and said. of her arm. So he got to smell-was clear that Mrs. Morehead had heard too.

She sat at her mother's knee and said over and over again with that blank feeling of unreality, "I never dreamed it could happen to us. "There's probably a man at ing around and I guess he liked we've been so happy together."

"Yeah. This Crystal is a

"H-hooked?" Mary felt an you told it to me." Blindly, she groped her way to the door.

SHE was at home an hour now the right hand. She's be- later, swallowed up in a black, hind the perfume counter at agonising despair,—when her The "why" of it was some- Black's. That's how she met mother came in. One glance thing she didn't bother try- him a couple of months ago. and it was clear that Mrs.

"I know. There, there, baby. By the way, you haven't said anything to Stephen yet, have you?"

"Then say nothing." Mary stared kissed her child and left... ward. "Listen dear, this is not a new story. It comes to most wives. Stephen is a man. He's been married ten years —"

"You mean he's tired of me." Mrs. Morehead took out her knit-Time comes when every man's got



in the name of friendship that you "He is awfully good looking," lose your husband and your home. Sylvia said airily, "tall, fair and dismy sex. Goodbye." Warmly, she overlook him."

A MOMENT later the telephone rang. It was Sylvia,

Mary cut her rather short. Ber- out of that: ting. "Stephen's tired of himself. muda, ch? Well, maybe Mother was right. "I'm busy, now, Sylvin.

I'm an old woman dear and I know tinguished. I'm sure you wouldn't

"I'm sorry but when one's mind is on one's own business --" "Of course." Sylvin's smile was pure acid. She picked up a bottle. oursting to talk about nothing And as you say -- you have so

"How amusing." The musical the store. "Well Edith, the bum's

to feel something new, when he's got to feel young again just because he's growing older. And I know she saw Olga to-day and ing older. And his only, escape yet she won't say a word. Come Comph.'" is to see a dif- on. "Oh Sylvia, maybe we shouldn't sound of chimes was heard through mirror of

the bottom of it," and Mary had agreed. "Probably. hope Stephen will like it."

She was sitting in the little manicuring booth now, being finished off by Olga.

In one hand she held a magazine, but reading, in the face of Olga's chatter, was well-nigh impossible.

"Isn't she a lamb?". She's pose. One coat or two?" sent me three clients this Those six daughters of hers are herself. "Never mind." absolute gangsters. Know Mrs.] Stephen Haines?"

MARY started, and looked up. her name. "What? Why yes, Fowler's friends came for."

"I guess Mrs. Fowler's told her you were in, Mrs .-- " you about that. Mrs. Fowler | "Mrs. Stephen Haines." feels awfully sorry for her." "Oh. she does?" Mary colours. "Oh, gec, gec Mrs. down this minute and get tickets for let them. She had Stephen just laughed uncertainly. "Well, I Haines, I'm sorry. Oh isn't throat's had I have to be been a small throat throat throat to be been a small throat to be been a small throat throat

girl, Crystal Allen. She's the Mary's voice

ACROSS

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friends---"

"I think," Mary said uneven-Evidently the girl hadn't caught ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines. "Oh. Well, goodbye. I'll tell

there something I can do?'

"You would if you knew this "Stop telling that story. one who's hooked Mr. Haines." please don't tell anyone that

-With infinite

knowledge

6-English meal

0-Pace

34-- Build .

Eng.

5-Theodore 5-Desert wanderer

7—Baking chamber

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l-Pipe connection

25-Pastening device

30-Make comfortable

31—Billy 32—Make more endurable

28-Greek porch 29-Berewing up of mouth

15-Very black 16-Nothing (Prov.

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1-Hegulte

45-A small number

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6-Appear 1-Belonging to that

50--Wing-like pars

3-Cive out

36-Shore line

Crossword Puzzle

ANSIVER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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05-Colored artificially

66-Hearing organs 67-Is surcharged

1-Look for 2-in manner of

(Italiau) 3-Qirdor.

63—Dressed 64—Bay

"You say Mrs. Fowler it. Since then they've been in some woman's eyes. This girl Sylvia gestured impatiently and rush in melody." She picked up a separable, practically every probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to sent you in?" Olga gabbed. evening. Jungle Red, I sup- than a new dress does to you." partment. Suddenly, she caught Crystal patronisingly, I'll take this

been a gift from Stephen. She my advice. Keep still, keep still." perfectly. She pulled Edith to the I did her at home last week. been a gift from Stephen. She my advice. Keep stin, keep stin. counter and began to finger the pershe flared up with it. "And what fume bottles. "But I thought that's what if I don't want him under those Then she held one up. "Oh, you came for. All Mrs. Fowler's terms. Women aren't chattels any here's this new kind, Summer out to-morrow, Mrs. Prowler." more. Stephen and I are equals. Rain. That's what Mary Haines We belonged to each other freely, is so keen about." Covertly watch-

> up. "Mary. You mustn't say a sold it to him-eh?" "Mrs. — ?" Olga turned six this out calmly. I'm going right way the society gang worked. Well, tongued little creature."

for-you-to-think-of-now-than-each so-many-men-come-in-here."----other. There's your daughter." Mary went silent with pain. Mrs. Morehend starting for the door. "One more piece of motherly advice. Don't confide in your girl

"I think they all know." "But they don't think you know? Then leave it that way. If you let them advise you they'll see to it

GOVERNMENT "WINS" LOTTERY

MADRID.—The Spanish Government did very well by itself in the Spanish holiday lottery. Besides winning the entire second prize, the Government also gets half of the winnings from the first prize ticket, which was shared by a holder in Madrid.

This first prize amounted to 15,000,000 pesetus (nominally about |
G\$1,500,000) and the second prize, which the Government won outright,

totalled 6,000,000 pesetus.

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her breath. No doubt of it, that my dear." From her bag, she pull Trembling, Mary got to her love the girl. If he did you'd have Crystal Allen. The description, "There's my name and address." week. Know Mrs. Potter? feet. Summer Rain. It had felt it yourself, long ago. So take brassy manner and all, fitted her Just charge and send."

I won't qualify our relationship ing her prey, she went on "A mother, I'm through—finished." simply dotes on this. Her husband

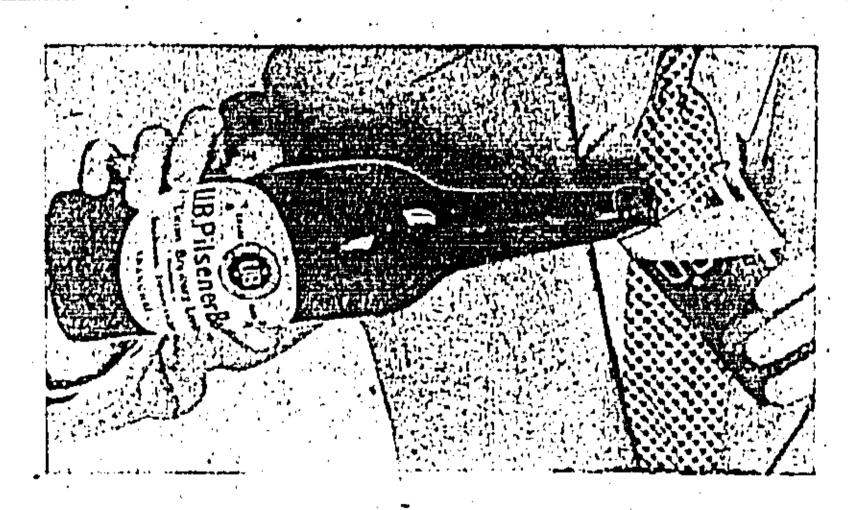
throat's bad. I haven't wanted to been a swell idea, reading those worry you, but my doctor says —" books and talking engineering to "Oh mother, it's sweet of you kim. It was a hot line and it was working. She said smoothly, "I'm "Mary, there's something more afraid I don't remember. We have

"Twenty-five cents," Crystal said sweetly. "My, you are getting off [economically, aren't you? It'll be

"Fowler," Sylvia snapped. Crystal glanced at the sales-slip. 'Oh sorry, Mrs. Fowler.'

Sylvia was snorting fire as she Alarmed, Mrs. Morehead jumped picked it out for her. Perhaps you dragged Edith along. "Prowler, huh. She called me that deliberateword to Stephen until you've thought | Crystal stiffened. So this was the ly. I'd like to fix her. Nasty-

TO-MORROW The Cats





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KAN TONG PO. Chief Manager. application. many men." There, let her climb be quoted on application.

"BIG SHIP—EASY TARGET," THEY SAY

(Continued from Page 6.)

would be rendered innocuous if faced by a fleet containing battleships. We cannot, therefore abolish battleships and keep their promise.

Dofying The Vilest Weather

CAN we reduce the size without risking our own security?

We can, provided others also do it. During the Disarmament Conferences the British Admiralty were never of retaliation would exist if she were averse to discussing such limitations, attacked by submarine or aircraft, In fact, the Washington Treaty- With efficient retaliation from antiwhich no longer exists-imposed, in aircraft guns and fighters from the 1922, a limit of 35,000 tons.

about limitation. Our Empire, hav-certainty. ing no boundaries, requires ships When submarine attack on a battlelarge enough to keep the sea in any ship is considered, it must be realised weather, in any part of the world; that a battleship usually works as our ships must be able to go where part of a fleet not as a single ship; required, so that a sufficient force whether with a fleet or alone, it is can be in the right place at the right screened against submarine attack time. Other nations do not share by attendant small craft. these requirements to the same ex- Although the extra length would

just how large a battleship should slight. An individual ship in a be, and, because power is increased battle-fleet is seldom attacked by a as size is increased, there has always torpedo; rather is an attack made on been a temptation, not often resisted, the whole line from a distance. Big to go one better than the other fellow. ships, therefore, would not materially cost to the taxpayer increases with hit, because the proportion of "water startling rapidity. Not only has the space" to "ship space" in a line extra tonnage to be paid for, but would remain about the same. also special plant must be manufactured to turn out the enormous guns required. There is practically no

to be spent along the sen routes." The larger the ship, the more difficult action would far outwelch the slight to manoeuvre in narrow, and espectional large target to be almed at. Also, the must be the dry dock to accommodate bigger the ship, the steadler the gun her, the longer and more solid the wharves; and more dredging is necessary to make harbours navigationally safe for her reception .- These har-

It is a vicious circles which can be prevented only if the nations of the lar tune. One day, perhaps, the sizeprevented only if the nations of the lar tune. One day, perhaps, the size-world are genuine and united in their madness will give way to the sanity efforts to prevent it.

Luck Needed-For A "Bull" THE argument against large ships —because "the bigger the ship, the bigger the target," can be considered in two ways. If the big ship, the big target, is lost the loss is, of course, greater than if the unit was of smaller dimensions—there would be more eggs in the basket.

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somewhere. But to score a "bull' requires the same skill, or the same unless other nations agree to do so luck. A "target" cannot retaliate; a battleship can. The bigger the ship, the more powerful and numerous can be her guns and the greater her speed, all of which give her more chance of crippling an enemy before being dumaged herself.

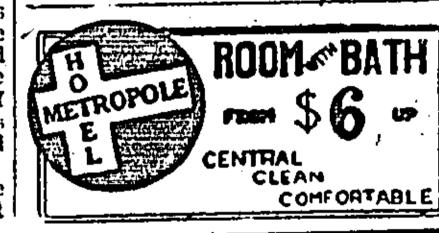
To a smaller extent the advantages ship, and from other ships of the There are, however, difficulties Fleet, a direct hit from the air is no

favour the submarine, the actual There is nothing to tell us off-hand advantage would in reality be very As battleships increase in size the increase the chances of a successful

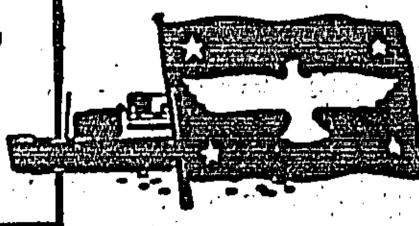
So Much Depends On Others

THE power and speed which can limit to the amount which may have be included in a 60,000-ton battle-Ships must have repair and supply ship is far greater than in one of

are to-day if other nations would agree to a limitation of size; but until which is satisfied with modest dimen-



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Nazis Fled Ashore, Opened Fire On Destroyer With Rifles

LONDON, FEB. 18 (REUTER).—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED IN BERLIN THAT SEVEN GERMANS WERE KILLED IN THE ALTMARK INCIDENT AND THAT ANOTHER IS MISSING, PRESUMED DROWNED. FIVE WERE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

About 150 of the 250 of the Altmark's prisoners, who were taken to hospital at Leith, were able to leave to-day to return to their homes. A dramatic account of the boarding party's exploit was given to

"Reuter" to-day. The officer in charge of the party leaped eight feet from the British prisoners aboard the STOCKHOLM, Feb. Cossack to the Altmark, waving a revolver and shouting "Come on, at Bergen.

LIKE FRIGHTENED RABBITS

wounding one man in the shoulder.

After recounting the story of

Norwegians Criticised

their ships, it is time to laugh.

Churchill To Speak

The Germans scuttled like frightened rabbits and left

Among those still in hospital are about 70 Lascars,

A Norwegian doctor went on board when the British

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- "It was in the best traditions

the ship as hurriedly as they could get overboard. They

took positions on high rocks and opened fire blindly,

It was then that the British fired in retaliation.

who are expected to be discharged to-morrow.

follow me!"

Rescued Briton Tells Of Ordeal

STILL AGROUND LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Interviewed by the BBC, one of the British sailors freed from aboard. She is being guarded by Norwegian warships. the Altmark, to-night broadcast a short account of the terrible conditions under which the left and treated the wounded Germans, three of whom Nazis képt over 300 British have been sent ashore to hospital. sailors.

He said the food was small BEST TRADITIONS UPHELD and scarce. The daily menu ran as follows:

Breakfast at 7 a.m. Three thin of Nelson and an action that was fully justified," says both pieces of black bread; tea with no public and Press opinion in Britain to-day in connection with Dinner at 2.30 p.m. One pint of the Allmark incident. sugar or milk. soup or tinned potatoes and meat. Tea at 5.30 p.m. Three thin pieces the rescue of British sailors, of black bread and another cup of sugarless and milkless tea. That was all.

Cards Kept Spirits Alive

When the desperate attempt at thing to affront a country which mutiny was discovered they were all has so many claims on our respect as put on bread and water for two days. Norway, but the Norwegian authori-The British sailors tried to keep ties on the spot put themselves in the up their spirits by starting eard wrong. schools, contract and auction bridge and cribbage all attracting devotees, There was little exercise possible, although they managed to play leap frog. But they had to be careful not to jump too high otherwise they got a nusty crack on the head.

scarce that it was selling at £1 a pound, and a box of matches cost no British prisoners on the Altmark? day parts of the article and presented position. sixpence.

Nazi Doctor Landed

The rescued satior closed his talk by praising the Nazi doctor on board for his kindness and humanitarian

"If ever I met a white man it was that doctor," he declared, adding: "We tried to find him at the finish to thank him. He bandaged up our naval rating last night." Relished The Job

One of the released prisoners, Aubrey Jenkins, of the Doric Star,

He said: "Immediately the grap- matters of a naval character, says the Norwegian ships. pling irons were affixed to the sides Washington correspondent of the of the Altmark, men from the Cos- "New York Times." He continues: sack fairly leapt to their job. They "Nevertheless, if the Alimark was a appeared to relish the venture as naval auxiliary cruiser, as the prethey landed on the Altmark's deck sence of German sailors on board her with pistols and flashing bayonets. would seem to indicate, there is con-

"During the scrap, it was ob- siderable justification for the British vious that the Germans had not nction." the stomach to face the brave and reckless sailors. One German pistol to shoot one of the boarding Winston Churchill, the First Lord of standing alongside me raised a party, but he was not fast enough."
Another ex-prisoner, George Johnston, of Newton Beach, produced on the Altmark capture, copies of a statement made to the Newton Beach crew by the Commander of the Graf Spee and by the German claim that the Altmark is an Road. Commander of the Altmark to the

prisoners, 💥 The statement by the Graf Spec's the English nation but owing to your chant Shipping.

The Country declaring war on mine, I On the other hand to the forced to take wound forced to take wound follows. am forced to take your ship as a 1939, list of coast and ship stations founders of the St. Teresa's Church, The Press, however, opines that of Telegraphic and Wireless Comand living."

Rovongo Treatment The Altmark's commander's state- vessel named Altmark appears as a mont quoted a report in Dutch news- warship. papers describing the treatment of German prisoners in Africa and added that because of this, any request by British prisoners in the ship would be definitely refused.

Military Plonger Corus.

JERUSALEM, Feb. 18 (Router) LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The High Commissioner for Patentine, Sir Captain and a fireman lost their lives Harold MacMichael, to-day inspected when the 3,656-ton British steamer, Jewish volunteers in the Auxiliary in the North Sea last night. The remaining 34 were saved,

Britain Protests To Norway

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). —The Foreign Office states: "Lord Halifax yesterday lodged a complaint with Norwegian Minister the failure of the Norwegian authorities to establish presence of between 800 and 400

rise to this complaint.
"He was informed that it appeared were justified in pressing that the permitted. Altmark should be interned."

Strong Note To Norway

to the Norwegian Government says that it is notorious that the Altmark participated in the depredations of the Graf Spee to which she had acted

The Altmark is still aground with about 100 Germans as an auxiliary. The British Government had the reasons, confirmed by British subjects taken off the Graf Spee and previously imprisoned in the Altmark, The Danish radical newspaper Politito know that there were some 300 or ken says: "The Swedish Premier's been living under intolerable condi- easy 'no'."

The Altmark was also credibly beleved to possess offensive armaments. Inner desires and realistic considera-Ship's Record Well Known

The record of the Altmark must have been well-known to the Norwegian Government, and in the view of His Majesty's Government, it was incumbent on the Norwegian Government when she entered Bergen and requested passage through Morwegian territorial waters to subject her to been experienced that a change in a very careful search.

H.M. Government would be grate- lodge the Swedish Government. ful for full particulars with regard to how the search was conducted and what facts discovered.

Perfunctory Examination Reports received by H.M. Govern-

After referring to Norway ap- of war." ternational law to allow Norwegian that protests against inquiries into parently failing in her duty as a waters to be used for taking British ship sinkings are being held in neutral, the note asks if they had found British prisoners aboard what would they have done with them? Either they would have released them or anyhow have held them pending a full examination of the

H.M. Government felt, therefore, that they had every right to complain of the inaction of the Norwegian Government.

The 300 Britishers were kept for "In future we cannot see our way weeks and months in close confineto accept any explanation from that ment and if those prisoners had found quarter and we shall judge every their way to a camp in Germany, the The note concludes by demanding

Threats Neutrals Won't Tolerate Aid

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).— According to authoritative information received in Paris to-Prominent Church And night, Germany has officially informed Norway and Sweden

For Finland

that she would regard any direct The Portuguese community has aid given by those countries to airplane of the Blenheim type was lost a deeply respected member in Finland as a breach of neu-This is considered to have been the reason why Sweden rejected the

Believed To Be A Bluff commander stated among other con.

It is authoritatively pointed out that things: "We, the German people, there is no trace of any vessel called a prominent member of the Portuprove that any country aiding a wish to have perceful relations with

> Interests to create another war front. The funeral will take place to- Newspapers generally stress the morrow afternoon, and a Requiem view that the solution of the problem

> > Scandinavian States.

10,000 Italians To Aid Finns PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuler) .-- A legion of 10,000 Italians living in France, headed by Camillo Marabini, President of the Italian, Garibaldeans who fought in Argonno during the Great War, is leaving for Finland shortly, according to a statement by Signor Marabini to the news-"paper, "L'Intransfreaut."

_a Cure Finland CHEST Seeking Military Alliance?

Reported Approach To The Allies

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (Domei). — The "Folketz Dagbritt" says that the Finnish Government is now making earnest efforts to conclude a military agreement with Britain and France.

The paper reports that the Finnish Premier, Dr. Riti, and the Finnish Foreign Minister, M. Tanner, will shortly visit London to ask for further assistance.

Swedish Rojection Of Appeal Altmark when she was searched [(Domei) .- The Swedish Government to-day officially confirmed "The Norwegian Minister was asked that the Finnish request for to obtain urgently an explanation of military aid has been rejected the circumstances which have given because it tended to prejudice Sweden's neutrality.

to His Majesty's Government that the | Since the outbreak of the Soviet-Norwegian Government had, in this Finnish dispute Sweden has been matter, falled in their duty as a firmly refusing to send regular troops neutral, and that His Majesty's to Finland avoiding involvement in Government felt that the case against the war though financial and this particular ship was such that they humanitarian assistance has been

Informed political quarters, however, understand that Sweden's neutral policy will become all the more difficult since Sweden is in a posi-LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).--The tion to relay the supply of arms to British Government's communication Finland, Some circles understand that Britain will so regulate her supply of meat, rubber and oil to Sweden as to make the latter extend positive assistance to Finland.

Sweden's "No" To Finland SPECIAL TO, THE "TELEGRAPH" COPENHAGEN, Feb. 18 (UP) .-400 Britishers abound who had long 'no' to Finland was certainly not an

> "It has evoked a deep feeling in Sweden, which is divided between

"It can be expected that from the side of those circles who insisted on direct intervention in Finland, will come a stronger effort to make the Swedish Government change its attitude. These circles were hitherto an absolute minority, but it has often public sentiment has been able to dis-

"Nevertheless, it is probable that the conflict over the English violation of Norwegian neutrality will weaken

the activists sentiments. "For here is a situation which all LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The ment have indicated that the Swedes, without exception, want to Oslo paper, "Dagbladet," on February examination was perfunctory as avoid—a situation whereby Sweden - 17 commented ironleally on the Ger-shown by the fact that no prisoners | might be drawn into the war and which might make Sweden a theatre

Work Havoc French Patrol Suffers

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). authoritative German notification Norwegian Government would have One was killed, three are missing and eight have been seriously injured as the result of Nazi land-

Casualties.

A French patrol suffered these casualties when it penetrated into German territory west of the River German companies attacked two

French outposts on Saturday. They were repulsed. German Communique SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).-To-day's communique issued by the German High Command said: "During patrol operations west of Merzing yesterday several prisoners were brought in. "As already announced by t special message during the week, during the period February 11 to 17 German naval measures sank 32 ships of 128,174 tons both of British and French registration. A British niso shot down." Naxi Attack Fails

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- A communique issued to-day states: "After very heavy preparation with trench mortars, the enemy attacked one of our outposts to the east of the Moselle. He failed entirely. "On other parts of the front, there was patrol activity on either side."

Roosevelt In The Panama Canal

CRISTOBALS, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -President Roosevelt arrived at Gatun Docks in the U.S.S. Tuscaloosa at B a.m. E.S.T. to-day and disembarked an hour later to inspect the Panema Canal locks and defences. After his inspection. President

Roosevelt - crossed the lathmus of Panama by train and re-embarked on the Tuscaloosa at Miraflores Lock It is bolleved that he plans to go to Pearl or Cocos Islands for a few days' ishing before returning through the Canal.

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TO-MORROW

munication at Berne, a German

and addressed Palentinian Arabs and Baron Allea, sanic after an explosion arranged for Maltese nationals under Britain, it is announced.

DEBUNKING which it calls a "heartening THE NAZIS piece of news," the "Sunday Times" says that it is regrettable that we should have to do any-Oslo Paper Becomes Realistic

man report that February 15 was a were discovered. They had no business under in- "successful" day for sea warfare and

-prisoners to Germany. camera.
Why did Norway allow them to The "Handel," referring to its There was also a system of barter, use these waters and why did the publication of the German official Towards the end tobacco was so Norwegian authorities tell the British interpretation of sea warfare, writes: destroyer commander that there were . The German radio broadcast yester-The "Sunday Graphic" informs the it as though we had written it our-Norwegian Government that the selves. It was an attempt to gull whole of British public opinion sup- Germany and the neutrals by the abuse of our paper.

ports H.M.S. Cossack's action. Not So Gullible The British Press also considers that the Nazi protest has not a leg to stand on. The squeal that has gone up from Germany does not alter our judgment in the least, says the paper. from the experience we have had been responsible for their fate. Time To Laugh

with this article." The same paper, in an editorial the Internment of the Altmark. When the murderers of the high comment, describes the Altmark seas invoke legal protection for affair as "something which Berlin shricks out to be a frightful breach of There is little question that the Norwegian neutrality" and sets told a thrilling story of the bravery British action has aroused misgivings against it the case of German and daring of the men from the Cos- in view of the difficulties the Ameri- trawlers' violation of Norwegian can nations have experienced in fisheries and the disappearance of

C.-S. Alves

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-Mr. Charity Worker the death early this morning of Mrs. Astonishing Claim. o.

Carmen Sonres Alves, wife of Mr. trality. LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The C. J. M. Alves, of 302 Prince Edward "unarmed merchantship" has caused Mrs. Alves was 54 years of age, and Finnish appeal for military assistance

considerable astonishment in Lon- was the only sister of Mr. A. M. L. against Russia.

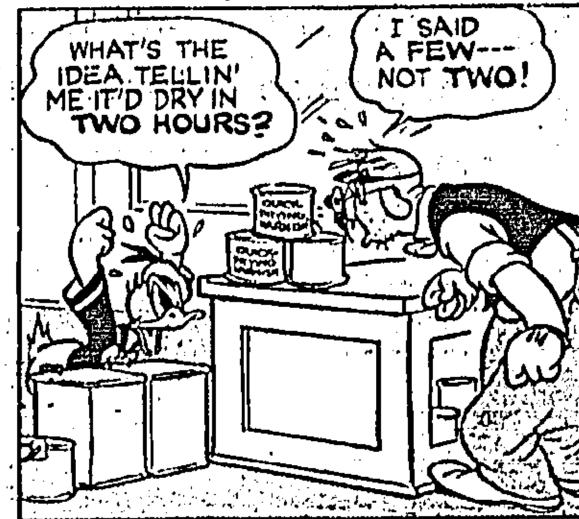
prize of war to defend our honour published by the International Union and her efforts on behalf of charity, Germany will hardly dare to implealthough accomplished very quietly, ment her threat as it is against her occupied much of her life. Mass will be said in St. Teresa's of saving Finland lies with the

Church on February 26. Maltese To Join R. A.F.

MALTA, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- Recrulting for the R.A.F. has been

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HITLER WANTS STALIN TO

By SEFTON DELMER

HITLER is trying to lead foxy Joe Stalin into a campaign of conquest in the Middle East against Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan and India, so that the Russian armies may create a diversion for a German push into south-eastern Europe.

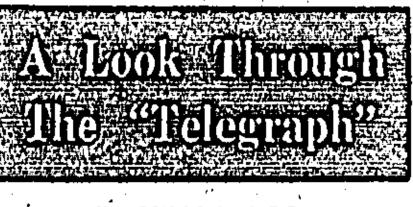
He may have to push south-east soon, as the Balkans are rapidly closing against him, refusing him necessary supplies, which may force him into making an attempt to get them by arms.

Diplomatic agents, military experts, newspaper propaganda, all have been mobilised for the task of dazzling before the eyes of Stalin, the riches of the East; the domination of regions which throughout history have been the happy huntingground of Georgian raiders.

What success he is having is not yet clear.

Threat In East

Many reports are coming in speaking of Russian concentrations of troops on the border of Iran, Afghanistan, and Eastern Turkey.



50 YEARS AGO

Fab. 10, 1890. Androws Hall was crowded with ladies And gentlemen, including General With force. Edwards and the heads of departments, attending the presentation of addresses to H.E. Sir. G. W. des Veeux, on the troops on the occasion of his departure for Europe.

25 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19, 1915.

Feb. 19, 1915.

Inspect them and the preparations that a Berlin communique reports that a nine days' winter battle on the Masurian Lakes has taken place with the Russian Tenth Army, of eleven infantry divisions, who were thrown across the divisions, who were thrown across the feature of the Russian frontier. A credit

The communique claims that the this purpose. severely beaten. Those remaining escaped into the forest of Sawalki and Augustowo.

Many Russians were killed and the Ankara. number of prisoners has not yet been ascertained, but it is surely over fifty thousand, togother-with forty-guns and the Middle East, and prepare everymixty machine guns as well as much thing for a deal by which Japan

battles of our troops, old Easterns with agricultural products, offering in reto this task, proved equal to their old turn munitions and guns comrades despite very

General von Mindenburg directed the operations which were carried out For the Iranian Army, though well splendidly by Generals Eichhorn and trained and numbering about a milvon Buelow.

Pour Germans interned in the prieffecting their escape from the camp For Germany, certainly, the situa-yesterday. Details of the matter show tion is grave in Turkey and souththat five men made the attempt, but castern Europe. German radio that the fifth was caught in the attempt, the other four managing to get attacks' on.. Turkey are becoming away. Up to the time of writing, one more and more violent as it becomes of the escaped prisoners has been cap- clear that Turkey will not help tured in the New Territory,

10 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19, 1930. Chief interest in the tennis champlonship which was continued yesterday was controd in the appearance of Paul Kong (Kong Too-cheun), the Shanghal Interport player, who met T. Akiyama in the second round of the Open Singles. The full results of yesterday's

matches were as follows: Open Singles.—Luk Ding-cheung bent D. Mohamed 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5; E. F. Fincher beat H. Owen Hughes 6-3, 6-0, 7-5; S. E. Green beat Wong Fuk-nam Aklyama 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, Open Doubles .- F. A. Redmond and

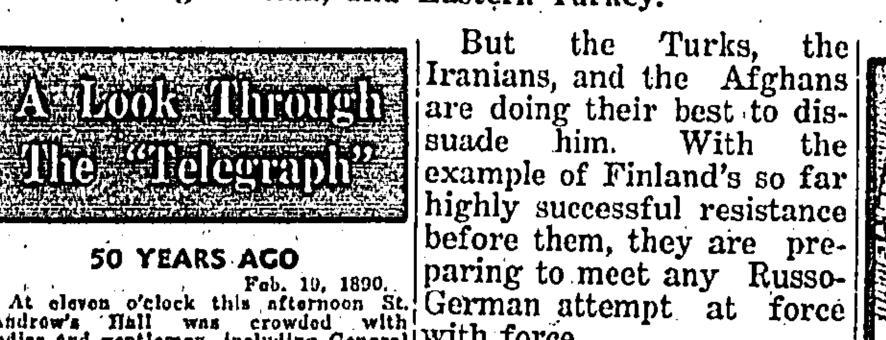
beat T. C. Monaghan and B. G. Grigor, Russian-occupied Poland into Ger-Club Championship .- Dr. J. Valentine heat W. H. Sucur, 6-4, 6-2.

5 YEARS AGO

Feb. 10, 1935. For the first time in the history of the Hongkong Jockey Club, the Stowards to day banned parti-mutual interest to open up the war with a perting on a puny. Shortly before the south-eastern push. Russian help in only place on the North Russian the summer of 1018 for a specific start of the Exchange Plate, a notification of a diversion congular. Const that could be kept ice-free all purpose. tion was posted on the course stating Turkish, British and French troops that, until further notice, Liberty Bay, must obviously be highly desired by For ulthough Murmansk in a good the unbeatable Dunbar stable mount, the German Staff. would be excluded from the betting.

SHAVED HEAD AS SHAME

at a Nazi court at Gifhorn of living with a Polish prisoner-in-war, has had her head shaved. Westfallscho Landeszeltung announces: "She stained the honour of German women, and the district knows what difficult country faces gaulelier [leader] fell it his duty, troops wanting to make a drive in with his own hand, to shave the hair this direction. off her head.



Turkey has reinforced her troops on the Russian frontier. Her President, General Inonu, has gone up to Erzerum to EPARTU of £2,000,000 has been voted for

The Japanese, too, are interested. A Japanese mission has arrived in a state of

They are to study the situation in would buy from Turkey, Iran, and "The Kalser attended the decisive Afghanistan raw materials, mainly AND RETURN

> This would be very useful help should the Japanese decide to give it. lion men, is not well equipped.

- Radio Threats

Germany to obtain by overland routes raw material supplies from the Middle and Near East.

Rumania is standing up more firmly to the Germans. She is refusing to grant them the thirtyeight per cent. premium they are demanding on purchases of oil and other raw materials. For she can export these more profitably to countries like Britain and France. which pay in gold.

Just to make things really difficult for the Germans, now that the 6-1, 6-1, 6-2; Kong Too-elicung beat T. Danube is freezing up and river deliveries of oil and grain are becoming impossible, the Russians still A. L. Sullivan beat H. J. Armstrong Ing Impossible, the Russians still and O.E.C. Marton 6.0, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5; C. cannot, or will not, set working the A. L. Rumjahn and J. A. E. Cansumbhoy rallway line from Rumania across.

> Five trains a day of sixty trucks each were to have been despatched from December 2. None has yet passed.

Certainly Germany has every interest to open up the war with a

Discouraged

But I cannot see Joe Stalin taking this line, not if he is as wily as they say he is. The Finnish experiment their oil from Russin. of his army's strength has hardly

FRAU WIEDENROTH, found gullty been ancouraging so far. . Besides, attractive as the German ore giving prominence to reports invitation must be, that he should showing that British engineers are help himself to the rich Britishcontrolled oilfields in Iran and Iraq.

fields so difficult that in Northern about this German invitation.



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U-BOAT BASE IN NORTH

-By Bernard Moore-

MURMANSK, the Russian | coast, carrying with it cod, turbot, port where the Bremen took refuge, and where the United States steamer City of Flint was taken by the Nazis, is in the news again.

The Germans, according to Parls reports, have established a mayal base nearby in accordance with the terms of a German-Soviet Agreement signed in October.

submarines have already been established, the reports say. A quarter of a century ago Mur-

mansk was a handful of log huts clus- officer named Ironside-now General tered on the granite coast of a deep Sir Edmund Ironside, Chief of the inlet cutting into the Kola Peninsula. Imperial General Staff. It had one characteristic: it was the General Ironside was sent there in the year round.

200 miles within the Arctic Circle, it is warmed by the Atlantic drift, which flows round the Norwegian

from even now they prefer to buy And then there is always Britain to reckon with. Italian newspapers busy building defensive roads in the Born in the last week of the last north of Iraq, as well as the strate war and killed on active service in said: "Peter, who was twenty, was

haddock, herring, even sharks. In 1916 a rallway line linking it with Leningrad (then Petrograd) was completed.

The fishing village began to develop into a port.

Murmansk is now a flourishing seaport of 60,000 inhabitants, with anchorage for large vessels and an unloading capacity of 3,000 tons daily. It was once occupied by British Docks and machinery for repairing troops. In 1918 it was an active base for operations against the Bolsheviks by Allied troops.

> Commander of the British forces in North Russia at the time was an

It was to prevent the establishment

either at Archangel or Murmansk of ously injured; and a German submarine base.

Born As War Ended-Killed As War Began

Stalln, as a Georgian, probably gic railway stretching from Turkey the first week of this war, Pilot- killed on September 8, in England. noross Syria to the Persian Gulf. Officer the Hone Peter, St. Clair The money will go to his elder Italy, too, could hardly tolerate a Erskine, second son of the late Lord brother, the Earl of Rosslyn, who is Russo-German upheaval in the Loughborough, of Hamilton-terrace, twenty-two and now in training for Mountains make communications Balkans and on the Dardsnelles. I Bt. John's Wood, N.W., left £1,090 the Army. I expect he will pass the same will receive a prison sentence between Northern Iran and the oil- feel sure Stalin will think twice in his will. Lady Shella Milbanke, his mother, with the Services."

"HARK. That's a gun. must :be imidday.'' Bertoldo,



Finns against the

"Silly ass, that time it was against Lenin and the Bolsheviks." Trots Alt, Stockholm.



NOW WHAT? St. Louis :Star-Times.

The Way Of An Eagle

ATHENS.

AN eagle flung itself against the front of a bus on a main troad near Salonika, smashed the wind-screen and flew inside. Then the eagle-

Attacked a honeymoon couple; Knocked down the bridegroom, with

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6.0 "For the Children." 0.30 Closing local Stock Quotations, 0.32 An-hour of Variety with Jack Savage and His Cowboys, Frances Day, Leslie Hutchinson, Clapham and Dwyer, and Others.

7.30 London Relay-The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 This week's programmes. 8.07 Studio-Plano Recital by

Dorcen Ma. Is that the way to treat a Sweet-heart; Waltz Medley.—(a) Roses of Picardy; (b) The World is Waiting for the Sunrise; (c) When Irish Eyes are Smiling; Over the Rainbow; It took a Million Years; I Cried for You. Primo Scala's Accordeon

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9.05 Waltzes. 9.15 London Relay—News Sum-

9.30 London Relay—"This Fice-dom"—7.—Talks by Sir William Beveridge and G.D.H.; Cole. 9.45 "Folk Blusto of Many Nations" -1: English.—The Comical Fellow; Folk Dance Band cond. by Ronnie Munro; The Berkshire Tragedy; A Sad Enling; Oliver Cromwell; Our Bill (F. H. Grisewood) with Pinno; The Tempest; Thady You Gander; Folk Dance Band conducted by Ronnie Munro.

10.0 Coleridge Taylor—Three Dream Dances,-London Palladium Orchestra conducted by Clifford Greenwood. 10.10 Selections from Gilbert & Sullivan's "Iolanthe."

10.28 Some Old Dance Favourites. 11.0 Close down.

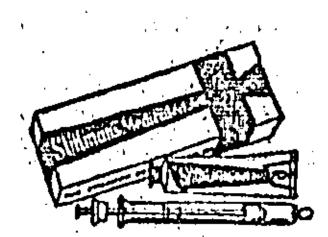
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The Germans have also releas- "living in Berlin.

They recently received Christmas gifts of groceries, chocolate, and Fifteen British women and one winter clothes from the International Australian, however, still remain in Red Cross, and also about 300 books the prison.

ed an English boy who had been

about 100 British and 100 Frenchmen

are preparing to spend Christmas at

are interned, and where they must

Meanwhile (wires United Press)

kept in a Berlin orphanage.

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DEATH

ALVES.—At her residence, 302 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, at 3.30 n:m., on February 19, 1940, Carmen Soares, aged 54, dearly beloved wife of Chevaller Jose Miguel Alves. Funeral will leave the house at 4 o'clock to-morrow, (Feb. 20) passing the Monument, Hongkong about 5.15 p.m.

Monday, February 19, 1940. Wyndham St., Hongkong

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Blockade Power

In the list of materials destined for Germany but detained by our Ministry of Economic Warfare we have proof of success which betters expectation. It has been announced that more than a cepted by the Allied contraband griffins. control. Seizures of the very com- These young ponies are grow- of that the average youngster gallops low and smooth, particuting ing why not study it from points modities essential to the main- ing during their two-year-old does not thoroughly realise what larly when the going is hard, as ing why not study it from points tenance of armaments are still piling up. The fundamental aggression is that in all the materials which modern warfs e requires the territory of the Reich, with all that it has annexed, is singularly poor. The list of cap- point of view. tures shows at once the extent the dependence of German military effort on supplies which she cannot obtain from contiguous countries and the power of the blockado to stop supplies from overseas. In two months 87,540 tons of petroleum and 81,500 ton of fron, ore were captured, tens of thourands of tons of manganese and aluminium ores, great quantities of copper, lead and zinc. and valuable amounts of rarer metals necessary in munitions. Materials for explosives and war stores bulk large in the list. The blockade has been specially effective against armament imports, and its effect is far greater than the figures exhibit. What is seized we can compute. What Germany had contracted for but found no shipping to bring must be a far larger

There is no source from which the Fuchrer's ministers can make good these deficiencies. Russia, if she chooses, if she will be paid and if the transport can be created, may supply some petroleum and perhaps sufficient manganese. But for the rest, her cupboard is bare. The Reich is isolated from the countries which in the first half of the year supplied her with half her imports. We know that nothing was being imported which could possibly be produced in Germany and Austria and Czechoslovakin. These overseas imports were absolute necessities of the armament programme. As the

RITA CANNON, the first woman racing correspondent, writing for the racing season fans, tells you

HE season has opened, and from among the scores of horses in training the supporters of the Turf will be looking for animals to provide them with the undoubted thrill of winning races at the right time.

But here is something I would like to believe that the public appreciated at its true value. All concerned with racing would benefit if people realised the fact that a pony is not a machine.

Just because a pony is feeling fit on his first outing and the luck of the race goes his way and he is able to win is no reason. to accuse him of being a rogue or his jockey of being incompetent or even worse if he does not happen to win the second time he appears on a racecourse.

A Rest After Winning

OWNERS, trainers, and jockeys are all anxious to win as many races as possible. Naturally, they cannot always hope or even expect to do so.

At this time of the season trainers are particularly anxious to win quickly so as to find some line of form by which to judge the other ponies in their stables and to know how good or how backward they are.

Those ponies which will be running to-day, for instance, will be expected to win more races later on in the season. They have to earn their keep; and it is impossible to maintain a pony at concert pitch throughout the season.

Remember, a pony has to be tremendously fit, and the job of getting him so entails a great deal of clever, patient treatment on the part of his trainer and lot of exacting work on the part of the pony-work that tests him right up to his capacity.

given an easy time, and then for him.

Difficult Griffins

DOZEN things may back. million ton have already been inter- the most difficulty are the ger of injury.

because they happen to be well side him.

leaves the green fields of Austra- It is the trainer's and the with his hoofs.

season; most, of them do not is wanted of him. If he is being it is at present. know their work properly, and galloped with another pony, or yet the public expect them to more than one, his natural inweakness of Hitlerism's policy of | run with the steadiness and con- clination is to edge over towards sistency of old performers just the other animal and keep along-

From the moment a youngster majority seek company.

he has to be let down somewhat, ing stables, life is a bit difficult the man on his back.

brought up to fitness again for Then he has a bit put in his great number of people know seeing a racecourse for the first his next effort.

mouth and is gradually taught about the horeflesh they like to time and having their attention.

both trainers and backers have can be galloped without any dan- a pony that can gallop. But even after a few months post. Look for the pony that have.

OBJECTION BY THE COLT. When a pony is really fit he lia and is taken through the jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks to capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks the immediately after the traveling to Hongkong, and from pony to keep on his own, to con- as though he has some idea of the still greater excitement of serve his energy and to give his for the calm, collected pony supreme effort of winning a race that until he arrives at the train- sole attention to the demands of though, of course, this is a quality not always to be expected It is surprising how little a among the youngsters who are-

CAN'T RACE!

'M ONLY TWO

NEXT BIRTHDAY.

to obey it. After that he has to bet on. Watch the ponies walk- distracted by dozens of animals submit to carrying a lad on his ing round the ring. Look out they have never seen before, and back.

for the one that walks with a also by the noises and sights of happen during that From then onwards he is built big, smooth stride and puts his the grandstand and enclosures. attempt. Generally up by walking and trotting, and hind feet down in the hoofmarks Study the breeding of a pony speaking, the ponies with which gradually brought on until he of his forefeet. That's usually and, particularly, the breeding of

the dams. Then throughout the Watch them going down to the season, watch how ponies be-

book? Some of the greatest. racehorses are completely mis-

MANY a good pony judged by the form-book.

standing fourteen DACING is a great or looks about **PACING** is a great sport, and one of its chief hands looks about twelve when bred and show a turn of speed. A few ponies of strong and he is galloping. He goes down objects is to improve steadily Let me give you a picture of dominating character may object and stretches himself. He does the breed of the racehorse. Don't racing from these youngsters' to allowing another animal to not bound along like a deer wast-expect ponies to be banged and gallop alongside them, but the ing a lot of his time in the air leathered and knocked about just and slapping the ground hard to provide a winner for people

66 BIG SHIP-EASY TARGET, 99

THEY SAY

 B_{γ} Vice - Admiral J. E. T. Harper, C.B., M.V.O.,

who compiled the official record of the Battle of Jutland. He comments in this article on an America, admiral's condemnation of the 80,000-ton warship and gives his views on some of the points that govern Britain's naval policy. ******

WHAT should be the size of a battleship? It is reported that the United States has recently turned its back on the suggestion to build leviathans of 70,000 to 80,000 tons in favour of something less cumbersome.

raised to a higher tension the improspect of Hitlerism in its first word "battleship." through neutral countries or in A battleship is the strongest unit powerful enemy fleet in existence. neutral shipping.

When dimensions of this nature are strain on munition factories is spoken of it is not surprising that many ask if battleships are really is the understand what is meant by the

trade was done with Britain and submarines; escort vessels; torpedo-speed as can then be produced. France and neutrals overseas, bont destroyers; cruisers, small and The Reich is now unable to export large; and circult carriers, to men-enough to take her place in the "line tion only a fow.

of the fleet to-day. The main points In Nelson's day such a ship was



Watch These Points

Vice - Admiral Harper, who entered the Navy . for three years' commander of the Royal yacht Victoria and

almed at are heavy guns, with as long a range as possible; massive side and deck armour to protect the war winter. With the loss of A navy must consist of many cate- vitals from enemy guns and from imports Germany has also lost gories of ships, ranging in size up- bombs from the air; under-water wards from the armed constal motor- protection to withstand attack from markets. Nearly half her export bont and mine-sweeping trawler; torpedo or mine; and as high a A ship, in short which is strong

But In This Case It Is A Target That Can Hit Back!

called a "ship of the line," a terms which has now given place to-"capital" ship.

Guarding Empire's Food

IT will be seen, therefore, that the-term "capital ship" is not necessarily synonymous with battleship. At the moment it is; but if battleships, as we know them, were abolished, the next most powerful unit would automatically become the capital ship, orship of the line.

A nation such as ours, dependent. for its very existence on the sea, must maintain a navy capable of de-fending the seas. Geographically situated as we are, with parts of the Empire joined not by land, but by sea highways; with millions who livein the heart of the Empire-Britaindependent on imported food to savethem from starvation, our naval needs: are far and away above those of a

self-supporting continental nation. But must this navy of ours contain. buttleships? Are these powerful, but. expensive, leviathons really necessary? Should we put so many eggs into one basket?

There is only one answer, Yes. The battleship is the king-pin of the defence system of our Empire; or, in other words, "Britain's full-back." A fleet of buttleships forms a solid. rampart of scapower, and acts as a protector of the weaker units; it is the last and final word-our sure of battle" when faced by the most shield. If we wore to abolish battle-

ships the remaining units of our fleet: PLEASE Turn To Page 8.

OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

Black-Out For Next Month

The Director of Air Raid Precautions announces that blackout exercise will be held on the night of March 5, 1940, but the actual time will not be published. Previous black-out exercises

have generally commenced at D p.m. in the evenings, but it would be unwise of the general public to assume that this or future exercises will be held at this

In order to comply with the Lighting Control Regulations, the general public should, if they have not already done so, purchase now the necessary material to black out their premises, and if possible put their darkening scheme through a trial test before March 5, 1940, and thus satisfy themselves that their scheme of darkening will meet the requirements of the Lighting Control Regulations.

Treasury To Control Securities Important Move Is

Announced LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -The Treasury have announced an order transferring to them- of Honour, Mr. A. M. Braga underselves all holdings by United | took the duties of best man. Kingdom residents in 60 specified securities marketable in New York.

Holders will be re-imbursed in sterling at the current. New York. price of currency and the official exchange rate plus accrued interest to in a dark brown woollen dress with March 4.

It is recalled that arrangements ies. were made on the outbreak of war for registration with the Bank of England of all United Kingdom hold- WEARING an exquisite weddlngs of United States securities, and | ** the present step aims at vesting a certain number of these securities in the British Treasury.

Not To Force Sales

the total volume of such sales from the United Kingdom, vested and noninvested, should continue over a period of time at about the average of recent months.

In addition to the present 60 securities, further vesting orders may be Grant, as matron-of-honour, in issued from time to time. "Reuter" learns that there is no

desire to force sales. The list represents preliminary Highland dress. mobilisation of certain securities The bridegroom, who is a marine country by the Altmark affair.

with an active market. In no case do the securities re- Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Wright, of veigh vehemently against the quisitioned form a big proportion of Scarborough, Yorkshire, England. "piracy" and "murder." the total outstanding securities of the He was attended by Mr. F. Tyndall as The Voelkischer Beobachter re-"companies concerned.

Precautionary Step

It is believed that the recent uncertainty has been worse for the Peninsula Hotel. United States market than the knowledge now given that the British Trensury has a definite long range Only a small proportion of the

total securities available are now requisitioned and the present list excludes several important market counters.

The step in no way indicates an nctual or impending exchange shortage, but is a precautionary slep taken well in advance of any necessity.

Will Not Weaken Marker

If private sales continue at the recent volume, there may be no need for official sales, though doubtless the opportunities of profitable marketing will be taken.

Requisitioning will probably have the effect of reducing sales. It is pointed out that the British authorities obviously desire to obtain the best price possible and will not operate so as to weaken the market.

Gland Discovery Restores Youth In 24 Hours

Bufferers from loss of vigour, nervous-ness, weak body, impure blood, failing memory, and who are old and wory-out before their time will be delighted to fearn of a new gland discovery by an American This new discovery makes it possible to quickly and easily restore vigour to your slands and body, to build rich, pure blood, to strengthen your mind and memory and

feel like a new man in only 2 days. In fact, this discovery which is a home medicine is pleasant, easy-to-take tablet form, does away with gland operations and begins to build new vigour and energy in 24 hours, yet it is absolutely harmless and natural in

The success of this amazing discovery, called Vi-Tabs has been so great in America that it is now being distributed by all chemiats here under a guarantee of complete satisfaction or money back. In other words, Vi-Tabs must make you feel full of words. vigour and energy and from 10 to 10 years pourer, or you merely return the empty package and get your money back, A special, double-strength bottle of 48 Vi-Tabe clat, double-strength bottle of 48 Vi-Tabe guarantee protects you.

BRITAIN DEFENDS ACTION IN ALTMARK INCIDENT

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

SEAFORTHS

IN AFFRAY

Japan To Protest

În Shanghai?

SHANGHAI, Feb. 18 (UP).—

The report said the protest will

through the Municipal Police.

was injured and taken to hospital.

REDS CONFIDENT

VICTORY NEAR

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vigorous air activity, the day passed

In the Suvanto district and at Tai-

Strong Points Captured

troyed three tanks and about 70

In the Kuhmo sector there were

skirmishes in which the enemy lost

Air Raid Slaughter

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter)

-Forty were killed in a Soviet raid

Cannot Be Mistake

waters by Norwegian torpedoboats.

British destroyers. The Altmork

"After renewed protests the British

Protest Lodged

under the circumstances, do nothing

but protest energetically as the force

day asked the Norwegian Legation to

"It was a clear violation of Nor-

"The Norwegian Government to-

against them was overwhelming.

again left Norwegian waters.

the Altmark is as follows:

on one Finnish town on Saturday.

convoy vehicles, and left 570 dead.

130 killed.

Many tanks were destroyed

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Saturday's Weddings

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday at the Emmanuel Mission Church. Kowloon, when Miss Anne Julenia Johnson became the bride of Mr. James Braga. The civil ceremony took place at the Registry in the morning before Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Registrar of Marriages.

THE BRIDE, who is a missionary of Cheung Chau Island, is the eldest daughter of Mr. C.

sin, U.S.A. She wore a graceful gown of white brocaded silk-crepe with a soft cowl neckline. Her vell was tuft composed her bouquet.

Mr. J. P. Braga, and Mrs. Braga of Bergen with the prisoners still formal protest with the British Hongkong, is office manager of the aboard, Motor Department of Messrs. Gilman & Co., Ltd.

crepe and carried a bouquet of pink action to liberate them.—United dalsies. Little Bethle Ractz and Press. Sheila Braga were the flower girls, and wore frocks of pink silk taffeta featuring pulled sieeves and long full

Dr. H. L. Clift gave the bride away, and Mrs. Clift was the Matron

The Rev. Mr. M. B. Birrel officiated at the ceremony, and Miss Caroline Braga was the organist. The reception was held at the

residence of Dr. and Mrs. Clift. The honeymoon is being spent at Repulse Bay, Mrs. Braga went away amber coloured accents, and a blue woollen coat, brown hat and accessor-

Bride From Scotland

ing gown of ivory satin lame, with Marie Stuart cap, and carrying a bouquet of white carnations and sweet peas, Miss Lilian Reid Sinclair arrived at The reason for this is to ensure that the Kowloon Union Church on realisation of these securities in the Saturday on the arm of Mr. F. American market is orderly, and that Edwards, for her marriage to the Altmark. Mr. William Morley Wright.

> is the elder daughter of Mr. Peter laws of international justice."—points. They took eight guns, des-Sinclair, architect, and Mrs. Sinclair, United Press. of Buckhaven, Fife, Scotland.

She was attended by Mrs. W. R. midnight-blue velvet, Miss Elizabeth Rosemary Grant, in powder-blue

best man.

at the organ.

The reception, was held at the -Reuter. When the happy couple left for the honeymoon, Mrs. Wright wore a turquoise-blue crepe rayonne ensem-

ble with brown accessories. CLEARING OUT THE SQUATTERS

FROM PAGE ONE

sewage and sanitary conditions are appalling. Among the buildings demolished were one or two factories. In one

food for human consumption was being prepared. of this new refugee town on the other

side of their street. Rent Ramp Disclosed

ing demolished were erected by an Reuter. influential Chinese, who has been charging the tenants exorbitant rentals for the privilege of living in the tenements in the area.

FINNS MAY FIRE BIG FORESTS

minal rental of five cents a lot."

FROM PAGE ONE

improving aerial defences and the British action.—Reuter.

arrival of planes and volunteer pilots from abroad. The spring weather is not expect-

planes on pontoons, instead of skils, but it is clear that if we are unable co-operation."-United Press. when the snow and ice melts. How- to defend neutrality, Germany has Reuter adds that the Norwegian ever, there is a short period in the not acquired the right to corry the Prime Minister conferred with the spring when neither pontoons nor war to our territorial waters. British Minister and in strong terms skils are feasible because of the slushy "Norway has maintained a policy expressed the "horror and indigna-ice. There are few landing places in of neutrality, even in the case of tion felt by the Norwegian Governthe north which are big enough for Finland. Norway has deep sympathy ment at this gross violation of Norway

Lord Halifax Rejects Norway's Heated Protest

London, Feb. 17. Great Britain has staunchly defended the invasion of Norwegian waters and is understood to have, in effect, rejected Norway's indignant protest against the Altmark incident which was received to-day by the British Foreign Secretary.

In his reply, Lord Halifax protested against the Norwegian handling of the whole affair. He particularly protested against the Norwegian Navy's failure to discover the British prisoners abourd the German vessel. He further confirmed the

"intolerable" conditions aboard the Johnson, of Iron River, Wiscon- but that the Norwegian protest will

It is understood that Lord Halifax sald the Norwegians must have known, as did the British Government, that the prisoners had been held in place by a halo of orange living for months under the most ter- The "Tairiku Shimpo" reports. blossoms. White roses and candy- rible conditions. Therefore, he said, that the Japanese Consulate The bridegroom, who is the son of permitted the Altmark to leave General is planning to file a fr. J. P. Brago and Man Brago of permitted the Altmark to leave

He added that the Norwegian disorderly conduct of three Sea-& Co., Ltd.

Miss Elisabeth Howard, as bridescreated a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which obliged the conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which conduct of differences in a Japanese created a situation which conduct of differences in a Japanes maid, wore a frock of aqua-blue British Navy to take immediate owned cafeteria last Tuesday,

Admiralty Congratulations

London, Feb. 18. The First Lord of the Admiralty will not occur in future. has sent congratulations to Captain | The report said the Scaforths vainly Vian for the double rescue of Britons attempted to settle the incident by from captivity and Germans from offering 95 yuan payment to the cafe drowning.-Reuter.

German Outburst

Germany has protested to the which they attempted to leave the Maru. world and formally to Norway cafe. against the "rape of the German steamer Altmark" in Norwegian waters by a British warship whose crew "opened wild machine-gun fire" on the Germans who were fleeing to cover.

An official statement predicted "unforeseen consequences," and protested at Britain's "extreme breach of international law on a completely unarmed German merchantman." They demanded that Norway pay

full indemnity for the loss of the vessel and the death and injuries of assurances of an adequate escort for activity.

The German Government has told the world that the British attack was Ladoga, Finnish forces repelled enemy The bride, who is a school teacher, "a mockery of the most primitive attacks and captured some strong

Berlin Indignant

Berlin, Feb. 18. According to the German News taffeta, and Master Harry Scott, in Agency, incredible indignation has been aroused throughout the whole surveyor, is the eldest son of the late | The newspapers continue to in-

marks.—"Let it be known in London The Rev. Mr. K. MacKenzle Dow that the tragedy of the Joessing up in such a way that we might officiated, and Mrs. F. McAulay was Fjord has made up the minds of all hope to defend the country but no Germans. We shall present the bill." one can expect aid from us."---

Canada Pleased Ottawa, Feb. 18.

The rescue from the Altmark is welcomed in Canada as another naval achievement for Britain.-

France Supports Britain

miralty's action regarding the tried to halt the German vessel by Altmark is given in well-informed warning shots near Fokksteink. circles, which draw attention to the repeated German violations of Nor- protested against the action of the life. wegian territorial waters.

Undisguised admiration of the was taken into the port of Oesund. British Navy's handling of the Alt- The destroyers followed, placing mark incident is expressed in mili- themselves in the mouth of the fjord. tary circles. An official spokesman Grampian Road residents have declared that the British did ex- force, now counting one cruiser and made several protests at the growth tremely well to act with such energy. Ave destroyers, retired outside the summary issued Saturday says: violated international law by concealing the fact that she had British Enquiries by a "Telegraph" re- prisoners aboard and that she was porter this morning tend to indicate armed. The possibility of a sequel that most of the buildings now be- to the incident is noted here,-

American Opinion Washington, Feb. 18.

Well-informed quarters are surprised at Britain's violation of the two small torpedo boats which could, at \$38. The buildings had all been erected three-mile limit, but there is on agricultural land which, the widespread understanding of the ac-"Telegraph" understands, was let by tion in rescuing so many distressed Government to farmers for the no- prisoners.-Reuter. A special commentary by the New

York Times to-day refers to the Al- bring this to the knowledge of the tmark as a "floating Nazi concen- British Government and protest tration camp."

against the serious violation of ter-The Washington correspondent of ritorial waters which caused deep the paper states that if the Altmark indignation as it happened far inside were a naval auxiliary cruiser as the a Norwegian fjord. presence of the German sallors on board would seem to indicate, there wegian territorial waters, deep into gradual change to their constantly was considerable justification for the a Norwegian fjord, and cannot be a mistake. The Legation was instructed to demand from Britain a promise Foreign Policy

Oslo, Feb. 18. to instruct British ships in the future M. Koht, Foreign Minister, in a regarding Norwegian territory and ed to make much difference in aerial speech at Trondhelm referring to the Legation was instructed to tell var.
The Finns plan to mount their The worst case was the Altmark Norwegian Government expects full

Nazis Compete On Yangtse

SHANGHAI, Feb. 17 (UP).—According to Japanese reports, as a result of virtually being driven off from the high seas by the British and French flags, the Naxi flag may appear on the Yangtse with vengeance in competition with the British shipping firms.

The reports said the Carlowitz Company, a well-known German firm, is planning to compete with British firms as soon as the Lower Yangise is opened to navigation. It is said that already two German vessels are operating be-tween Shanghai and Chinkang.

******* Quezon Foundering

| Japanese Indignant With | Captain's Behaviour

Manila, Feb. 17. The Japanese Consul General, Mr. Consulate regarding the alleged Yoshida, has Issued a statement charging Captain Onrubia, of the foundered the President Quezon, with "trying to excuse himself by distorting the true facts in order to evade his responsibility for the indemand an expression of regret and fidel act of leaving the President the punishment of "the perpetrators Quezon ahead of others." of the brawl;" together with payment

The Japanese Consul General of compensation for damages and assurances that similar disturbances claimed that Capt. Onrubia could have returned to the President Quezon anytime by using on of the six life-boats of the Ukishima Maru. He surmised the reason why Capt. Onrubia failed to take this step was due to the fact that he had seen It said that on Tuesday last the the drifting of the second lifeboat | CC soldiers quarrelled with employees in while attempting to return to the the cafe over "a civil matter" after President Quezon from the Ukishima

He stated Captain Siho "absolutely A fight ensued in which one soldier never" requested Capt. Onrubia to board the Ukishima Maru for the purpose of signing any form of contract "which is clearly evidenced by the copies of the wireless communications exchanged between the two ships."

Mr. Yoshida said that despite bad weather the members of the crew of the Ukishima Maru "exerted their utmost endeavour" towards rescue measures. The Japanese public and the crew of the Ukishima Maru "are greatly disappointed with the very unfair statements" from Capt. On-German sailors, pointing out that the pale, there was the usual artillery rubia. The Japanese consul said his by the Japanese Foreign Office.— On the north-east coast of Lake United Press.

FINNS ALSO INVADE SOVIET TERRITORY

FROM PAGE ONE been repulsed along an 18-mile front

December 22 last year. The only evidence of Russians 1 saw were the green frontier posts: those and some frozen Russian LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The soldiers sitting in grotesque costermonger comedian, Gus Elen, has postures in four feet of snow, with rifles across their arms or their noses sticking out from the snow. Everywhere as I glided towards the border I saw signs of that twomonths-old retreat. Tractors and tanks upside down and rusting in the deep snow. Complements of the The official text of the Norwegian Russian battalions frozen stiff under the soft white blanket of snow. Admiralty communique regarding Often they presented nothing more than a small mound which would "On the afternoon of February 16, break the surface of the snow the German tankship Altmark was

escorted into Norwegian territorial blanket. As I started for the front, 40 Rus-Full support for the British Ad- At 4.30 p.m., two British destroyers slan planes oppeared over Licksa. In the dugout I heard that they had bombed a town and damaged "The Norwegian torpedo boats some property, but caused no loss of

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official It is emphasised that the Altmark three-mile territorial limit. Some- The Commission's recommendation time later the British destroyers, of the Corporation Tax has not nevertheless, entered the fjord and affected the market in any way and took charge of the Atlmark. Some in spite of this as well as the short British citizens aboard the Altmark morning session owing to the Races, were taken on board the British prices on the whole are firm and in cruiser after which the British ship some stocks, show an appreciable advance. Telephones (Old) changed hands at \$26% and there are further "The Norwegian force was only buyers, while Lands were transacted

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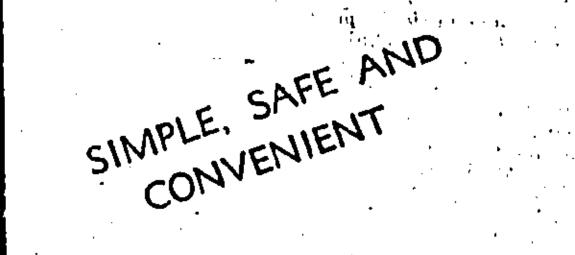
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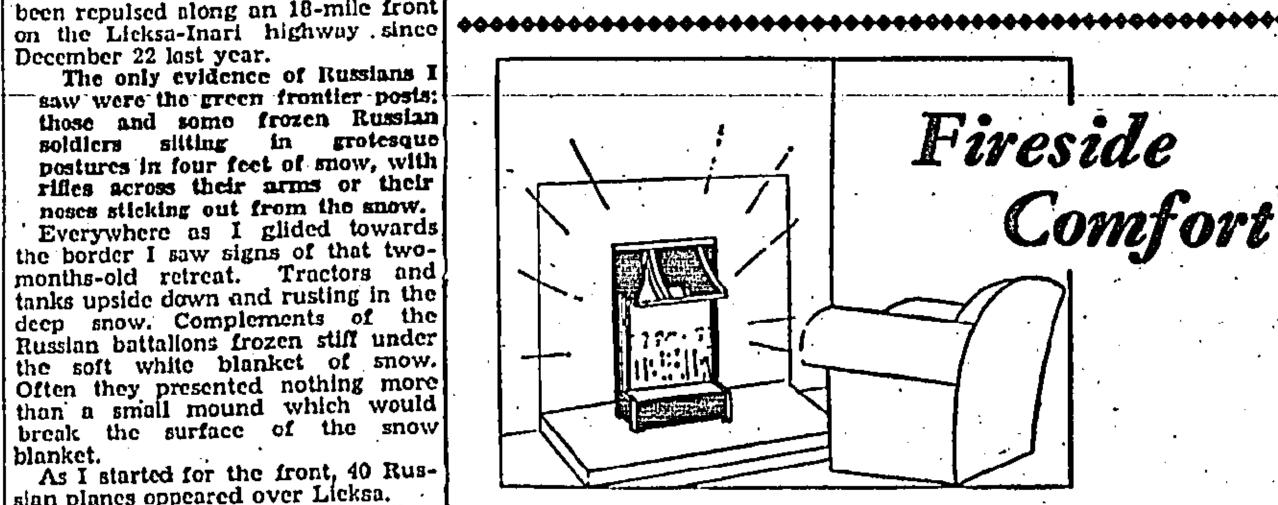
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British Capture Nazi Steamer

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The German steamer, Morea, 3,000 tons, entrained for an internment camp.

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Masbate Con	1014
North Camprines	1014
Paracolo Qumaus	2214 1
Burigeo Con	.13
Byndicate Inv. United Paracale	
Benguet Con.	7.00

HUNGARIAN SHIP TROUBLE

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, Feb. 18 (Domel).—The with a cargo of manganese, has been 8,000-ton Hungarian freighter captured by a British warship and Nyugat, of the Neptune Navigation brought into a West Country port. | Company, weighed anchor off the Seven officers and 23 men have village of Suyeyeahi in Hachijo Island on February 11, disregarding police directions to wait for an in-

The ship appeared in the harbour of Milke in northern Kyushu on Thursday evening.

Charged with a violation of port 'regulations, the ship will be subject to police inquiries, it was announced.

COMBINED

DEFEAT FOURTH HONGKONG

Visitors Appear To Lack Confidence

(By "Rex")

A MAGNIFICENT and most valiant effort was made by Saigon at Caroline Hill on Saturday by to take away with them the memory of at least one victory in this port, but they were defeated by an eleven comprising players taken from the various Chinese teams in the Colony, four goals to three.

Had the sun not played tricks with their goalkeeper, Tai, the three first half goals of the local team may not have been scored, and Saigon would probably have attained their desire.

A fact, which, I daresay, has escaped most, is that in all four of their matches here, Saigon lost the toss and played against - the sun.

Tal at goal for Saigon was less confident than in his previous matches. Lobs appeared to worry him considerably, and though he gave glimpses of his dashing self, these were few and far between.

His defectedness made its influence whose spirits refused to be dampened. He, however, was guilty of some lackadalsical play after the second goal was chalked up against his side. Had a better player than the frequent blowing of centrated his entire attention towards bolstering up the attack, and succeeded very well.

He did not always have the better second half, rid himself of it in of Cheuk in the first half, but bottled haphazard fashion. him up completely in the second, and a few opportunities.

Saigon. He smothered most of have upset their equilibrium.

Fung's play, and very often forced him to play to ble between him to play to his haives.

BEST PERFORMANCE

the more dangerous winger, he was what attack the Police had. the one who took the most shots at Eastern's forwards too, did not goal. He had little support from seem to function in the same fashion

was again the speedlest player on raids and results.

view, but his ball control was inferior to anything yet seen. He very with the high shots. He let PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Police Fail Against Eastern

(By "Rex")

The robust methods of the felt with Corea and Cul. Cui in Police failed to impress especial played haphazard football, and was practically useless to his Eastern, and they went on forwards, besides being almost al-ways beaten by Tang. Corea to score four goals, Police seemed the only player in the defence replying only once, in a very

Lee Shek-yau been pitted against The frequent blowing of him more disastrous results might the whistle wore on the have resulted. In the second half he completely ignored Lee, and con- nerves of Police, who passed

Lau Hin-hon did not relish Buu was moved up to inside-right holding the ball for any length making way for Bach, who played of time and, particularly in the a good spoiling game at right-half.

Kong Seng-keng and Tsang gave great support to the forwards. Chung-wan rendered a good Pacini did not cover Chan Tak- Chung-wan rendered a good fal as effectively as could be wished, account of themselves. Taken He allowed him a goal and quite all in all, however, they were much below form. The tactics

was unable to turn out, and was substituted by Tseng Ying-kuen, who, together with Lo Wai-kuen, gave CUICHARD gave his best per- valuable assistance to Hau King-U formance here. Besides being seng, at centre-half, to break up

goal. He had little support from Buu who appeared out of place. Buu passed too far in front, and when Gulchard retrieved the ball he was either too spent to dribble or take a strong enough kick. Tot was a hard worker, but had no reliance in short passing in front of goal, spoiling all his chances of shooting.

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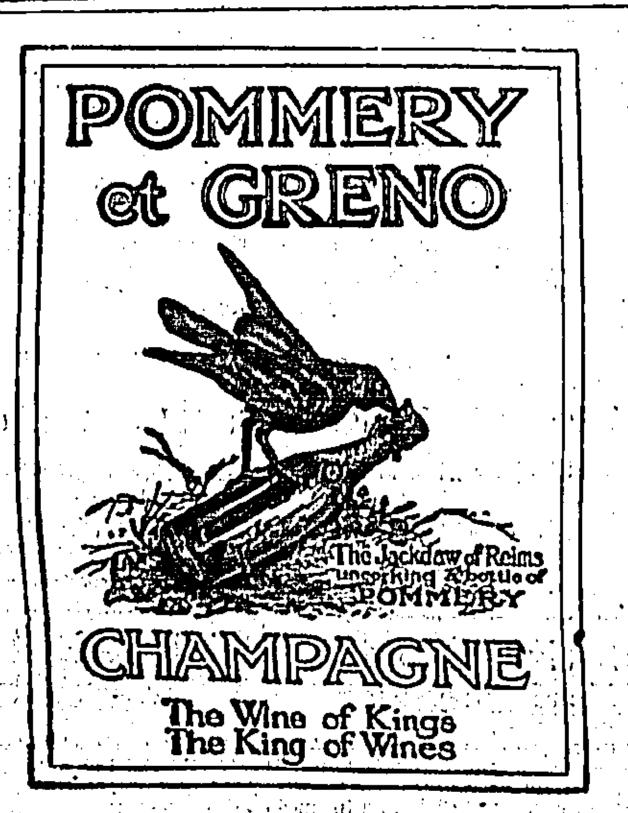
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AMOY HANDICAP

(SECOND SECTION)

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SELECTIONS BY "EARLY BIRD"

The following selections were made y "Early Bird" in the S. C. M.

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(FIRST SECTION) Ascot Day,

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GARRISON CUP

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King's Warden

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Humdrum Eve MELBOURNE CUP

Lucky Lad A Grand Time

Baffin Bay HONGKONG DERBY

Satinlight Burford Craigavad

> AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Oak Bay Jennifer Potentate

WAKOOL HANDICAP

PERTH PLATE

Amber II Violet Queen Strathcarrick

(SECOND SECTION) Viceroy

Lucky Lady

DAILY DOUBLE Lucky Lad /Oak Bay

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L. Dunbar 1	1	. 2
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EMITAD LUI I UM Sir,-I have read your article by "Rex" on Saturday with interest,

and must agree that the position needs clarifying. May I suggest that the following interpretation of Law 12 could, with advantage, be copied out and hung in all dressing rooms of Play the Ball all the time.

If you must charge an opponent,

be sure that your charge is a fair one, and made only when you are making a definite attempt to play the ball. If the ball is not within playing distance and you charge an opponent merely to keep him off the ball, you will be penalised.

W. M. GLOVER.

British Army Again Beat French

LISLES, Feb. 18 (Heuter),—The British Army football XX beat the French Army XI by 2-1 to-day in the third match of the series, and have thus won the "rubber."

TO-DAY'S DERBY WINNER?



Satislight (R. D. Moller up) being led in by Mrs. V. V. Noeda and Mrs. Johannessen after winning the Trial Plate in effortions fashion on Haturday. Mr. Eric Molier, the proted owner, is walking alengaide. The peny's performance gained for her considerable backing for the Derby to-day,—

SELECTIONS BY "LAST QUARTER"

The following selections were made by "Last Quarter" in the Hongkong Daily Press:

> FOOCHOW CUP Confusion Bay

Eve of Harvest PERTH PLATE

Navylight

(FIRST SECTION)

Ascot Day Contact

LUSITANO CUP

Racylight Possible Dupont Bay

GARRISON CUP

Rose Evelyn Musketeer Celtic Star

KARA KARA HANDICAP

Brutus Twilight Star

Dick Turpin AMOY HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) .Humdrum Eve

Lilliber Galaxy

MELBOURNE CUP

BaMn Bay Lucky Lad

A Grand Time HONGKONG DERBY

Burford Satinlight

Spicylight 'AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Lancashire Lad

Macquarie River

Pencelul View WAKOOL HANDICAP

Violet Queen Poconos

PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION)

Viceroy Albury Many Thanks

DAILY DOUBLE Baffin Bay/Jober

LEADING JOCKEYS

The following is the list of jockeys and how they stand after Saturday's

	1st	2nd	3rd	٠
R. B. Moller	. 3	-	_	
P. Y. T. Wei		3	. 1	•
D. Black	. 1	. 1	1	
B. L. Tao		1	_	
H. J. A. Hearne		_	1	
C. Encarnacao	. 1	-	1	
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G. P. Gram		,1	_	
W. H. Davies		. 1		1
S. C. Liang	-	1	_	
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S. W. Pan	. –	. 	1	•
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ARMSTRONG-GARCIA BOUT POSTPONED ONCE MORE

LOS ANGELES, Pob. 18 (UP) The State Boxing Commission have postponed the Armstrong-Garcia bout once more, and have set the date at March 1 because of a rupe burn received by Garcia on his leg while training last week

Doctor W. L. Carver sald that the sore looked like a boil. Commisdoners Jules, Covey, Everett and Sanders have accepted Dr. Carver's

Eddie Mead, Armstrong's manager, sald, "Garcia is trying to run out on us ogain."

Junior Golf Championship

The semi-final of the junior cham-pionship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was played at Fanling yester

xander 5 and 3 and H.N. Williams son received a walk over from N. R. Littlejohn who scratched:

SAIGON Entries and Handicaps To-Morrow

The following are the entries and handicaps for the

VICTORIA STAKES

12.00 noon.-Bear Claw, Blue Express, Confusion Bay, Conquering Time, Desert Chief, Eve of Harvest. Galaxy, Happy Eve, Hyndford Bridge, Jennifer, Joher, King's Warden, Lilliber, Navylight, Racylight Red Feather, Rob Roy, Rose Emily.

(161), Burford (161), Care Free (160), Shipmaster (161), Smiling (161), Charlesber (161), Clember Time (145), Some Hope (145), (161), Common View (161), Craissand (161), Dingo (158), Distinctive Time (161), Dupont Bay (161), (140), West Lake (153), Wilber (161), Danales (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (153), Wilber (161), Danales (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (153), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (153), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Willes (161), Eve of Folly (140), West Lake (161), Eve of Dancing (161), Eve of Folly (147), Wild Cat (160), Willynilly (158), Eve of Hunting (158), Eve of (160), Peace (168), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest (158), For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (101), Grether (101), Hillsboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (101), Jane Doc . (161), Johnber (158), Lauraber Green Time (152), Alfber (155), (161), Leading Time (161), Little Amicus Curine (155), Ascot Day Princess (155). Lusitania (161), (155). Australian Diamond (155), Mount Hope Bay (161), Olibwny Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152), (161), O'Lan (158), Omaha (161), Cairntoul (155), Catterick Bridge Comph (158), Osage (155), Patricia (152), Cheerful Star (155), Circe (161), Possible (158), Prince Charm- (155), Connieber (152), Contact ing (161), Racylight (161), Resisting (152), Fair Chance (155), Far View Time (158), Roson (158), Roso (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch-Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), man (152), Forehand Drive (152), Royber (161), Satinlight (161), Franklin (155), Grand Allegiance...

CANBELEGO HANDICAP

White Diamond (158).

1.00 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella (165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Claro (152), Quick Despatch (155), (155), Centre Court (155), Happy Radon (155), Sapper (165), Sea Jay Landings (152), King's Privilege (155), Shuttlecock (152), Sparrow (152), Murrumbidgee (135), Na- (152), Vanity Falr (155), Viceroy tional Victory (140), Rising Star (155), Warrego River (152), Winnie (135), Rooifly (152), Snowy River (155). (155). (155). Day (152).

ROYAL NAVY CUP

February Fourth (158), Guinness February Fourth (155), Fei Ying Time (163), King Kong (168), Mus- (140), Good Morning (168), Loncaketeer (157), Smiling Thru (101), shire Chap (148), Matador (101), Strathbannock (168), Tiny Tim Meteor (145), Phoenix (152), Popu-(155) Tribute (161).

ALBURY STAKES (FIRST SECTION)

3.00 p.m.-A Green Time (152), Alfber (155), Australian Diamond (155), Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152), Cairntoul (155), Cheerful Star Allegiance (152), Income Tax (155), (161), Clember (161), Craigavad King's Caprice (155), Many Thanks (161), Distinctive Time (161), Du-Viceroy (155), Winnie (155).

KILLARA HANDICAP

(155), A maring time (155), Auas (161), Law And Order (155), Blandford (157), Bredon (161), Leading Time (161), Little (155), Centre Court (155), Derby Day (155), Happy Landings (152), Mount Hope Bay (161), National Success—(155), Ohio (161), Ojibway bidgee (135), Pumpernickel (152), PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Rialng Star (135), Rociffy (152), Snowy River (149), Sydney Lad

CHEEFOO HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

4.00 p.m.—Bistre (100), Chatterbox (155), Dekko (140), Double Chance (148), Estover (146), Gold Coin CHATER CUP

(153), Golden Cow (150), Kut
Cheung (160), National Guard (140),
Night View (163), Oranje (Boven
Attacking Time (158), Bronze Arrow (163), Piet Hein (152), Plain View

ROOTY HILL DERBY AND SPORTS CLUB CUP

4.30 p.m.—A Good Time (152), A Silver Wings (161), Smashing (152), Income Tax (155), Jungle Through (161), Spicylight (161). Princess (152), King's Caprice (155), Kitti (152), Lucky Lady (155), Many Thanks (155), Maple Star (152), Melody Star (155), Mint Julep (152), Nancy Lee (152), Perola d'Oriente (152), Powerful Kld (155), Princess

CHEEFOO HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

5.00 p.m.—Ascot Vale (168), Bres-1.30 p.m. — Celtic Star (165), say (158), Desert Star (168), Ebony Clowner (155), Double Chance (168), Idol (148), Emergency Call (140), Iar Star (145), Portrush (165). Radium Star (143), Starlet (140), Sunshine Susle (148), Talkative (163), Tiny Tim (148), Wild Bear

RACING STAKES

5.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (101), (155), Circe (155), Fair Chance Attacking Time (158), Blue Skies (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch- (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Burford man (152), Franklin (155), Grand (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber (155), Maple Star (152), Perola pont Bay (161), Eve of Dancing d'Oriente (152), Quick Despatch (161), Eve of Folly (158), Eve of (155), Radon (155), Sen Jay (155), Hunting (158), Eve of Peace (158), Shine Again (155), Sparrow (152), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest Springhurst (152); Vanity Fair (155), (158), For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (161), Gret-ber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (161), Jane Doe (161), 3.30 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella Johnber (158), Kentucky (155), (165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Lauraber (161), Law And Order

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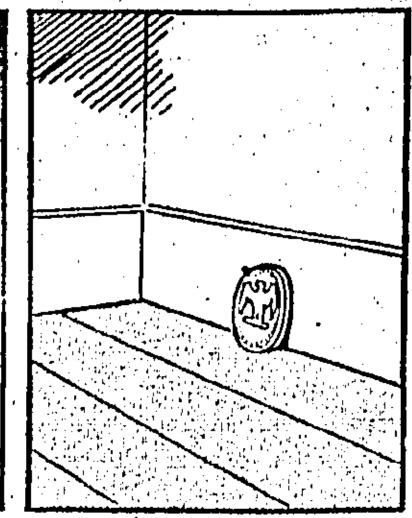
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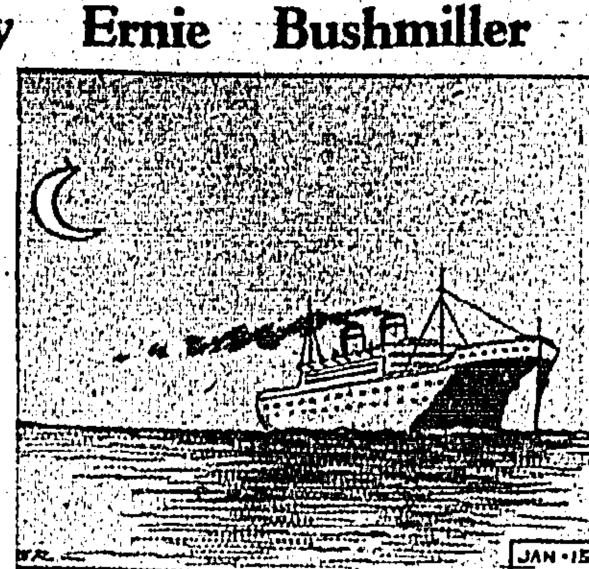
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HONGKONG TELEGRAPH



POLICE

Excellent Work By The Backs Carries

(By "Fly-half")

AT SOOKUNPOO on Saturday afternoon, the check himself in time to centre to boot the ball out on almost the slow but used his body to good adproperly. penalty goal) through superior work behind the scrum. The Force missed Luscombe badly at the base of the scrum where Morrison, really a wing-forward, after some wild passing appeared to profer touch kicking where the scrum t prefer touch kicking when in possession.

Another notable absentee for Police was Searle, Another notable absentee for Police was Searle, a performances to date. He cleared several times coming through the never approached above mediocre stand off half, and was to easily heater by Waite who his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. He obtained possession to stand off half, and was to easily beaten by Waite, who to the wrong man. Lee Tin-sang send a long pass to Fung who nodded evaded his high tackles with case.

line-outs, and Innes in the loose.

ARMY SUBSTITUTES

often as possible. Sutherland, be- the bud.

sides hooking well, was to the fore

IN A FEATURELESS GAME on

Saturday a Navy XV drew with Club

"A", sixteen points each, by two

goals and two tries to two goals, a

Macrae, Heaseman and Hynes se

valuable openings. Club's backs

were mediocre individually and poor

as a combination, while passing on

GOOD BACKING UP

of things in the set scrums.

ly in foot rushes.

SPORT ADVTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1940 17th, 19th, 20th, 21st and 24th

The timn interval will be after the fourth race on the first four days of

the Meeting. MEMBERS' BADGES AND

ENCLOSURES Members are reminded that they their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Navy "A" 16 Club "A" 16 Race Course. The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, EXCHANGE BUILDING, (Tel. 27794)

WILL CLOSE AT 10.00 a.m. ON THE FIRST FOUR DAYS, and at 12.00 NOON ON THE FIFTH DAY. 'A limited number of tiffins will be penalty goal and a try. Both teams packed short, Navy having only six obtainable each day at the Club

House, provided they are ordered in of Club, turned out for the Navy. advance from the No. 1 Boy, (Tel.

mitted in either enclosure during the pack, which had the better of things first four days of the Meeting. No up forward. Carruthers was

Day. PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the their own line was frequent and the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day touch kicking weak. including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sallors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at !

Kong Jockey Club during the Race backing up after a loose ball and a Monaghan and Miss Grimins, members of section winners re- (155), Sapper (155), Shuttlecock within the precincts of The Hong was a wonderful example of good pair won 5-2.

Restaurant in the Public Enclosure. SERVANTS' PASSES Passes for Servants will be issued | Marshall and D. Hynes scored tries

Passes for Servants will be issued to Private Box; holders ONLY on application to the Secretary, 1st floor, before Club scored an Exchange Building.

In Servants will be issued to record being converted back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford, Ltd., Anderson, Meyer back and scored and Beattle, Altkenhead, and Carruthers. Storage Co., Ltd., A., S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Dodwell & Co., Exchange Building. Any pursons found loltering with Turning around with a five points' Macrae.

Saigon Suffer Fourth Defeat In Hongkong

(Continued from Page 8.)

With their halves out of gear, Taylor against him in the second the Saigon attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. the Police three's were seldom seen in attack, whilst they were late in getting up in defence, and late in getting up in Wright-Nooth was prominent in a Kam-hung found Tien a sight too were rewarded when Buu dodged tage, and, from a centre by Wong too easily tired Police pack, which clusive for him, but managed to Hsu to send Guichard off with a Man-kwai, Howlett threw himself at with few exceptions did no best to a with few exceptions did no backing worry him enough at times to put clear field. Guichard ran in and the ball and headed it in. up at all. Dempsey featured in the him off his shots.

FASTEST FORWARD

and Coombe, who were substituted by Ford and Marsh. With Sutherland on top in the tight scrums, the Army backs saw much of the ball, and generally an opening was made then be usually does. Chan Take ANNUAL RACE ALLEANCE ALLEANCE AND ACT ANNUAL RACE AND ACT A

TAI TESTED

often over-ran the ball or could not but in a sudden spurt Hau managed little scope. North was at times too

gave a nice though subdued exhibi- the ball to Chan. Pacini was in attendance, but Chan managed to Hsu King-seng faced the brunt of evade him and beat Tal with a tricky

beat Cheung with an unstoppable shot from close in.

Three minutes from the resumption TANG Kwong-sum was the fastest Lee had a tussle with Bach whom he THE ARMY were without Ridsdale | forward for the Chinese, and got bent and centred right into Salgon's

wisely gave their wings the ball as and most of the work was nipped in from seven yards out. Salgon were making superhuman

efforts and were rewarded with anin the loose. Millar was prominent THE Chinese were pressing almost other, and their final goal. in line-ups and in the loose, especial- I from the whistle and Tai was Tot received from a clearance by allowed after consultation with the tested several times before Tien was Pacini to tap to Tien who dribbled linesman Ford, Marsh, Waite, Douglas and pulled up for hands. Leung took the past Fung to slip to Hoa. Hoa Eastern added to their score of Millar scored tries for the Army. kick, and passed to Chan who nodded stumbled, putting Cheung off, rethree goals when Wu broke through the ball to Fung's feet for the latter covered and sent in a weak shot, the

Eastern Beat Police 4-1

(Continued from Page 8.)

past at least two goals which should have been saved.

Blackburn was the better of the two backs, clearing cleanly and strongly. Chan Kong-ylu was too slow and was always beaten to the ball by Chung. STEADY DEFENDER

COUGH stood head and shoulders U above both North, on the right, and Brooks, on the left. He covered Lee very well, and allowed him

some very awkward moments.

Hau Yung-sang was superb at right-back. He totally eclipsed Lee

THE Chinese attacked through Hsu hard to surmount. C. Pile was out-Tin-sang to give one of his finest | and Leung and Tai was tested classed by the Eastern defence, and

TEN MEN START

IVA and Pile substituted for him at goal. Eastern took advantage of

Eastern attacked through Chung who passed the ball backwards to Hsu who, catching McHardy completely by surprise, equalised for Eastern with a grand shot from 35

Just before half-time Hau dashed in to put Eastern ahead from a pass by Chung. GAME DETERIORATES

latter took it well up to send in a nice daisy cutter which struck McHardy's boot and was deflected into the net. This goal was dis-

. Eastern added to their score of placed shot from close in. Eastern.-Lau Hin-hon; Kong Sengkeng, Tsang Chung-wan; Lo Wai-kuen. Police.—McHardy; Blackburn, Chan Kong-ylu; North, Gough, Brooks; Wong Chi-man, Howlett, Wong Man-kwai, Ferrier and Pile.

ENTRIES AND **HANDICAPS**

(Continued from Page 8.)

(161), O-Lan (158), Osage (155), Patricia (161), Prince Charming (161), Racylight (161), Resisting Time (158), Ronson (158), Rose Charming (161), Rose Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (101), Royber (101), Silver Wings (161), Smoshing Through (161), Victoria (161), White Dinmond (158), Xenophon (161).
ALBURY STAKES (SECOND SECTION)

6 p.m. - A Good Time (152). Albury (185), Amicus Curiac. (188), Australian Diamond (152), Brown Derby (152), Catterick Bridge (152), Comedy Star (155), Connieber (152), Contact (152), Far View (155), Forehand, Drive (152), Jungle Princess (152), Kitti (152). Longdon THE NAVY full-back, Sig. Brier- ners of the last B.W.O.F. Tour- prizes. The Winners were presented (152), Lovely Kid (149), Lucky prizes, The Winners were presented Lady (155), Melody Stor (155), with a racquet for the man and an kicked a nament and of the purple section. sl.00 per day including tax.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, etc., good length ball to find the safe will not be permitted to operate to the property operate of good length ball to find the safe in the first round. The Chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman. The chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the woman and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to the chinese runners-up received a pipe and permitted to operate to smart dash for the line. Bowden, on winners of red section, beat Capt. ceived bottles of whisky, and their (152), Spring Again (152), Surprise

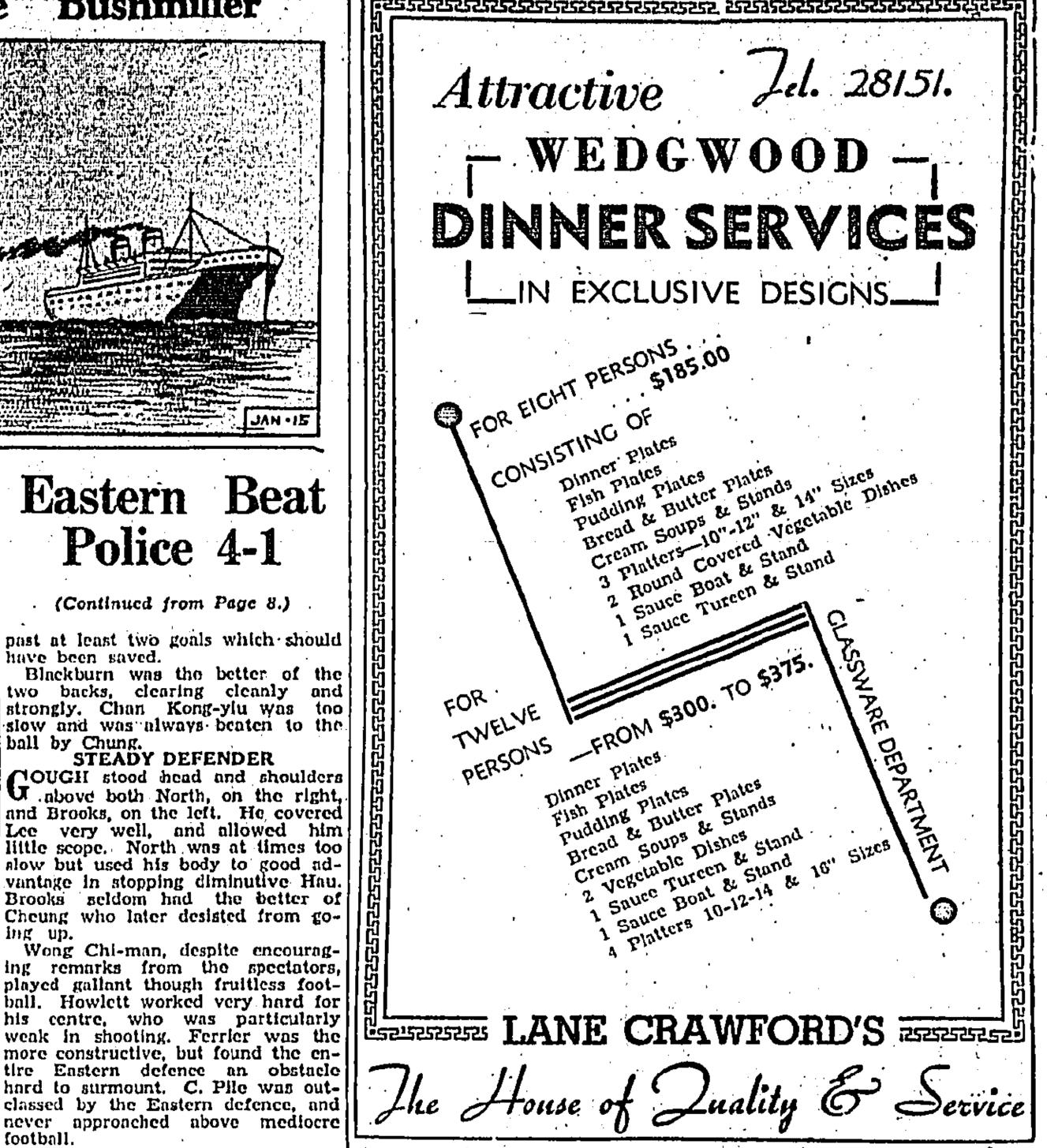
New Walking Record

Any persons found loltering with Servants' passes in their possession will be will forfeit the same and will be to their score, when Brierley, coming will forfeit the same and will be will from in front temoved from the Enclosure.

By Order, When the game looked as good as Secretary.

When the game looked as good as Warshall; Smart, Summer, and Worder, Davis, Marshall; Smart, Summer, Buttleffer and Calcate RacGregor & Co. Lid.

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DEFEATING T. C. Monaghan and Miss M. Griffiths forwards and Club seven. D. Hynes, 4-2 in the final, Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. Litton yesterday won the American mixed doubles tennis tournament on the On no pretext will children be per- a good example to a forceful Club Hongkong Cricket Club courts in aid of the British War Organisation Fund. Fifty-six pairs participated and the amalis will be allowed on the Fifth enterprising stand-off half, who made tournament was divided into five sections. B. O'M. Deane and Miss | their first appearance in the tourna-

hai badminton, were winners of Grimins. blue section, met Lee Wai-tong and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu, win- Mrs. A. E. Grasett distributed the

Times will be obtainable in the the wing, received few opportunities, and Mrs. C. H. R. Hyde, winners of bottles of liqueur, A hefty Navy pack had the better green section, in the semi-final 4-3, bottles of liqueur, A hefty Navy pack had the better In the bottom half of the draw Ho British War Organisation Fund, acknow-Kh-lau and Mrs. Litton, making ledge prizes and denations from. John D.

won by Navy, Club staged a come- Murray-Jones.

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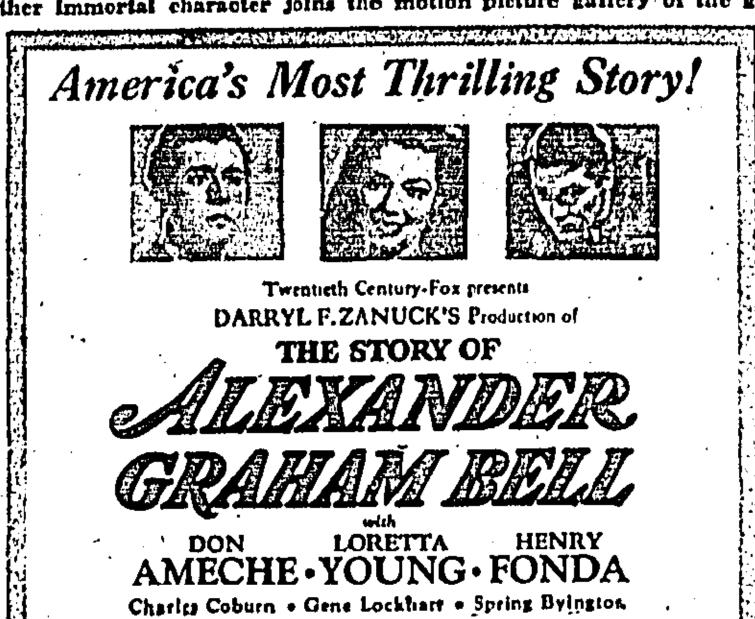
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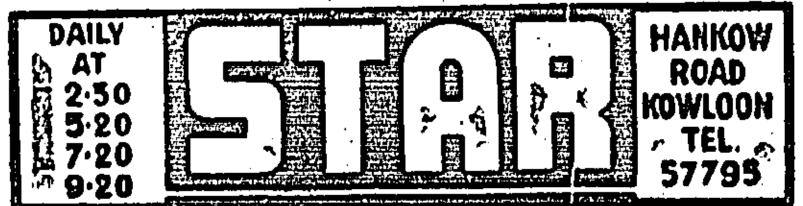
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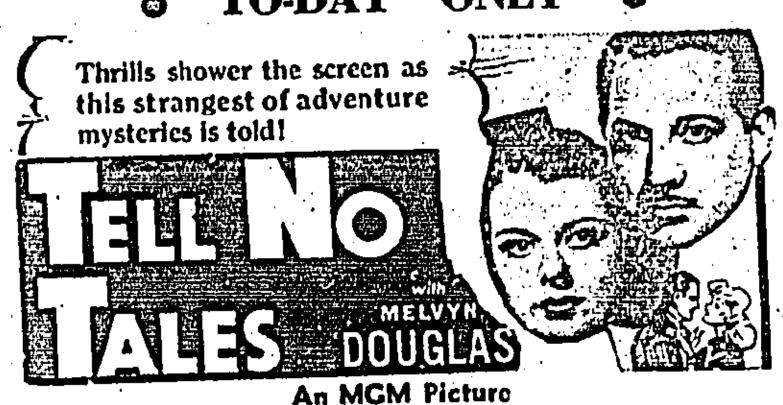
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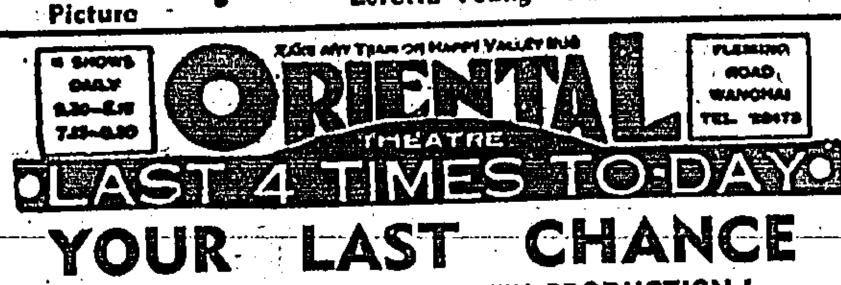


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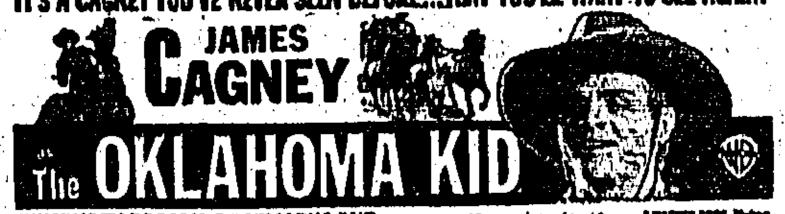


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66 Bomb Berlin! 99 Says THE CASH Wells-Nazis Rage

MR. H. G. WELLS joins the ranks of Public Enemics of Nazidom. In an article in an American magazine he urged that the Allies should subject Berlin to "intense aerial Bombardment."

Leg Broken, Crawled

A MAN with a broken leg dragged himself along the deck

"He was picked up almost immedi- pedoed, and seventy-three are miss-

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of her crew struggling in the water, it was disclosed recently.

The Germans' answer is at howl of fury.

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better than does the agitator Wells at his desk what any such attempt would mean for them"

radio at intervals throughout the leave the Germans, it may be, in a night.

He crawled twenty feet to

Able Seaman W. Pitt, one of the

"I don't know the man's name.

"After he had turned on the safety

switch he slid over the side into the

turn the safety switch control-

ling the depth-charge appara-

destroyer's 118 survivors, said:

would have killed many of us.

charges might have exploded.

He was a scaman.

Mr. Wells Replies

And this was the reply to Berlin given by Mr. Wells: "It is perfectly correct that I wrote

that article," he said. fowns would be answered by our Air is evidence of weakness and a scream the attacks have lost apostles of hatred have perhaps not hesitate to bomb Warsaw ruthlessly momentum and the drive done exactly the same to London in appears now to be near an "For every bomb dropped on Berlin ten would be dropped on London.
"Moreover, after the experience don could stand up to anything they

"This is war, and this is what it must come to. I would rather bomb the Germans than starve them. In This was repeated on the German the end it will be quicker, and it will

Pitt, who is nineteen, and lives l

shire, was swept overboard by a

wave, and floundered in the sea for

twenty-five minutes before he was

Eight men in the Grenville were

killed when she was mined or tor-

"The Pretoria-road, Eastriggs, Dumfries-

£300,000 a Day

PRICE OF

BATTLE

THE Red Army's great "Obviously this German statement offensive is continuing, but

During the battle 200,000 already gathered by them off the could send us, and give them more Soviet troops—fresh and well German coast, British airmen know than adequate punishment. lagainst the Finnish defences.

> Heavy artillery has pounded the Finnish line. In one district 15,000 shells have fallen in an area of one square mile. The cost in ammunition is estimated at about £300,000

The Cost In Lives

The cost to the Red Army in men and material is unknown, but Unofficial sources in Helsingfors

and 15,000 wounded; Three of four "lost" divisions, of about 70,000 men, are cut off

of the sinking destroyer Grenville and saved the lives of many "It thrilled us to see him going along the deck. We knew what his quick thinking two machines were shot down. This

North Finland. One man was killed; brings the total of bombers destroyed [Preliminary bombardment, third

Battle of Ypres (July 17-30, 1917). cost £22,211,399 14s. 4d. Rounds fired 4,283, 550. Arras (March 25-April 8, 1917), £13,162,689 13s. 8d., 2,687,000 rounds; Messines Ridge (May 26-June 6, 1917), £17,505,-453 18s. 8d.; 3,561,530 rounds. Maximum expenditure in one day was £3,871,000 (on September 28-29, 1918) when 943,847 rounds were fired.]

LATE NEWS

LT. PARKINSON

Licut, Parkinson is alleged to have

Edwards usked Mr. E. H. Williams leged that accused was driving in such a manner as to constitute criminal

place the losses at 5,000 killed

round Kitela. They were isolated by sulcide patrols which cut their communications.

During a week-end more than 100 bombs were dropped on towns in

COMMITTED

When Licut. Thomas Parkinson of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, again appeared before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with the manslaughter of a boy in Bonham Road on December 23, he was committed for trial at the March criminal ses-

knocked down a boy while driving his car in Bonham Road. Before committing accused, Mr.

to go before a jury, and committed tion."

defence would be reserved. ... The Magistrate then cautioned accused and asked if he wished to make a statement. Parkinson indiented that he would reserve his de-

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Parkinson passed a bus and speeded of Strasbourg's normal population. Marx is looking after the spiritual up without keeping any lookout whatof 300,000, some 70,000 people needs of the Strasbourg Jewish com-Mr. Edwards said that he was satis- evacuated from their home town have munity.

fled that there was sufficient evidence settled in Perigueux "for the dura- The town hall of Strasbourg and They have their maternity hospital, for the time being in Perigueux in which a tiny Strasbourger is born Chamber of Commerce building. The who is defending accused, whether nearly every day. Strasbourg's Prefect of the Bas-Rhin Department he wished his client to give evidence, maternity hospital was transferred and his staff also have their offices but Mr. D'Almada replied that their here with doctors, nurses and full here, and the Strasbourg tax collector

Mgr. Douvier, coadjutor to the Perigueux colleague. Bishop of Strasbourg and Vicar- The Bank of Strasbourg is in the General of Strasbourg, is installed in main street of Perigueux, and the the Byzantine calledral of Perigueux leading Strasbourg newspaper, - Derinstead of the Gothle cathedral of pleres Nouvelles do Strasbourg, is rend everywhere. Alsatlan delicates-Pastor Ortileb, head of the Pro- sen shops abound, and the school, testant faith in Strasbourg, officiates children begin their lessons by singin a Protestant church, and Rabbi ing Alsatian songs.

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-AND SINK

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tests to Norway regard-

ing the Altmark inci-

dent synchronised with

the sinkings, by U-Boat

action, of two Swedish

ton Iliani and the 1,526-

ton Osmed. Both were

sunk in the North Sea.

They were the 1,646-

steamers.

with the British.

matter with England.

is to-day."

"Norway must also settle the

"The British Government has

"The attack on the unarmed

Altmark has reaused such bitter in-

dignation among the German people

that never before has the motto Gott

Strafe England' been so popular as it

German Navy for several years.

Spee before it was scuttled, '

laver, they were all civillans.

Altmark is a naval vessel.

Fuelled Graf Spee

The Nazis still claim that the

Prior to the outbreak of war, they

Mexico to Germany. It is admitted

that she fuelled the Admiral Graf

It is also admitted in Berlin that

Germany remains silent regarding

Her claim that the Altmark has

business for several years is not borne

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LT. PARKINSON

the crew were armed. But, the Nazis

branded itself by this attack as

criminals and law-breakers.

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Germany is a signatory to the Madrid, Washington and Cairo International Conventions on Telecommunications.

The headquarters of the Bureau of the International Telecommunication Union, of which she is a member, is | in Berne.

All member States agree to pro-vide information relating to radio communications, in ships, on shore or in aircraft, for publication in the Union's lists.

Above, you see reproduced the information supplied by Germany regarding the Altmark.

It is published in three languages English, French and German ('Beschreibung der Seefunkstellen"). An explanation of the reference letter is given in the foreword to the List, which is officially termed "List of Coast Stations and Ship the International Telecommunication

Ship's Call Sign

The letters "DTAK" is the callsign allotted to the Altmark by the Bureau. Every radio station in the Germany will retaliate. We will fight this thing out world has a similar call-sign. Hongkong's broadcasting station, for instance, has been allotted "ZBW". The letters "CR" indicates that the radio station on the Altmark is not open to general public correspondence. Merchant ships are not per-

mitted to make this reservation. The letters "HX" mean that the radio-station on-the-Altmark does not observe fixed hours of service. Again, merchant ships are not permitted to make this reservation, but must observe watches at times laid down by the Berne Bureau.

Damning Admission

vessel is German. But the most damning admission crew of the Altmark. in this information supplied by Germany to the Berne Bureau, and These crossed swords indicate "on board a warship or military or Mr. Colban. naval alreraft." It can be used for no other purpose.

Alleged Neglect By Husband

The excuse that a woman gave to Mr. Maefadyen at the Kowloon had found some three hundred Magistracy this morning for hawk- British prisoners aboard the Altmark ing without a licence was that her during the search at Bergen, what husband, a Chinese constable did not action would they have taken? support her.

not given me any food."

alleged neglect.

Wazi

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

QUESTIONS FOR OSLO

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP).— The letter "D" indicates that the Britain has formally demanded Altmark was unarmed, and claim that the internment of the German she was a tanker in the service of the

The demand was made in an claim, the Altmark carried oil from reproduced above, are the crossed interview to-day between Lord swords set opposite the ship's name. Halifax, the Foreign Secretary that the radio station is installed and the Norwegian Minister,

Lord Halifax complained that Norway had failed to establish the fact the evidence she provided herself, in that there were British prisoners the International List of Radio Call aboard when they searched the Signals issued at Geneva, that the Altmark at Bergen.

The British Foreign Secretary has submitted the following pertinent been engaged in the oil freightage questions for submission to Oslo: 1.—If the Norwegian authorities out by Lloyd's list of ships, which

2.-Would Norway have left these The woman was Mak Mul, 40, and prisoners aboard the German ship? referring to her husband she said: 3.—If the Altmark was considered

THE PILLORY

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).—The Altmark incident has a manner as to constitute criminal provided the German propaganda department with a mekingence. Williams replied that Lieut. first-class opportunity for things, used the battle of the Skager Parkinson passed a bus and speeded heaping its vitriolic abuse through stock market manipulations, ever. on Mr. Winston Churchill, one could only expect the worst", fled that there was sufficient evidence the most should be sufficient evidence the most sufficient ev the most hated man in Old Idiots & Young Criminals to go before a jury, and committed Germany to-day.

"If old idiots and young criminals He asked Mr. Leo D'Almada, jun.

The Nazi Party's organ the people in London would realise that he wished his client to give evidence, "Voelkischer Beobachter" gives the tragedy of Joessing Flord only but Mr. D'Almada replied that their 2697. banner lines to the Altmark alls the entire German people with defence would be reserved. a single resolve: we shall present our episode and leads off its story reckoning." with a scathing attack on Mr. A Copenhagen message says that the make a statement. Parkinson indi-

Expected

BERLIN, Feb. 19 (UP).—Authorised Nazi quarters Stations published by the Bureau of darkly hint at reprisals against Britain's action in scizing its nationals from the auxiliary cruiser Altmark. One official told me: "There is no doubt but that

Britain-Demands Crew's Internment

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COMMITTED "C190 is my legal husband and has innocent, why was she escorted by Norwegian warships? When Lieut, Thomas Parkinson of Mr. Macfadyen fined Mak \$1.75 4.—Why were Norwegian warships the Hongkong Volunteer Defence and advised her to apply to the con-stationed in the vicinity when Corps, again appeared before Mr. R. stable's superiors concerning her British destroyers arrived on the Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with the man-

slaughter of a boy in Bonham Road on December 23, he was committed for trial at the March criminal ses-Lieut. Parkinson is alleged to have knocked down a boy while driving his car in Bonham Road.

Before committing accused, Mr. Edwards asked Mr. E. H. Williams the Crown Prosecutor, at what precise point in the Crown's case was it al- | 3355, 050, leged that accused was driving in such

were not at the British helm, the who is defending accused, whether

The Magistrate then cautioned Social Democratic Party's newspaper, caled that he would reserve his de-

DERBY DAY AT HAPPY VALLEY

Hongkong from eleven o'clock this morning, when the second day of the Annual CRITICAL. Season opened in overcast Soviet forces. Race Meeting and 1940

The track was again fast, but early racing was not noteworthily brilliant.

An unhappy mishap occurred in the Perth Plate, the second race on the card, when Marber's chestnut, Alfber stumbled and threw his rider.

The pony, an Australian, broke its shoulder and fore-leg and had to be The jockey, G. P. Gram, escaped

with a snaking. The Moller stable still continued in winning vein, but Navylight proved no match for Confusion Bay in the Foochow Cup, when D. Black brought his famous mount from the Dunbar stable home an easy winner.

ed at the race-course shortly after 1 last race before the timn adjourn-"Cash-sweep sales were ngain on the heavy side.

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Finns Admit 6 Wiles Penetrations

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

HELSINGFORS, FEB. 19 (DOMEI).—THE RED ARMY Big Crowd Gathers | HAS SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THROUGH THE CENTRE To Watch Classic OF THE MANNERHEIM LINE, FINLAND'S LAST RE-THE VALLEY was MAINING STRONGHOLD ON THE KARELIAN ISTHMUS, the magnet that attracted REPORTS REACHING THE CAPITAL INDICATE.

IT IS STATED THAT THE POSITION IS

Fighting is developing in favour of the overwhelming

According to field reports, the Finnish G.H.Q. has now ordered a general retreat. TERRIFIC LOSSES LATEST

The position of the Finns, it is stated, has become untenable as the result of the terrific losses they have sustained in the nineteen days of constant Russian pressure.

Losses on both sides have been particularly heavy on the Summa, Lake Gaola and Taipale River fronts RECORD during the past 24 hours.

The Russians, because of their superiority in man-His Excellency the Governor arriv- power, are more able to stand these losses.

ed at the race-course shortly after 1 p.m. and witnessed Musketeer win the AIR FORCE CO-OPERATES

In an attempt to disorganise the retreating Finns and It is estimated that a record crowd to prevent them from re-forming new lines behind the halfpast four. Mannerheim Line, the Russians are throwing all nerial resources into the litis feared that the Red Army may and boiting is very brisk.

fing attacks are being launched on the Finnish positions in the " rear, causing heavy casualties.

to be pouring through six breaches in the Mannerheim

The Red infantry is being led by massive divisions of Russian mechanised units. Five Miles Penetration

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18 (Domel).-Information reaching Stockholm now Indicates that the Soviet forces have heim Line on the Summa front. reported to be five miles inside the

Finnish lines. forced to order a general retreat in Swedish Premier if Parliament could order to prevent the two wings on be permitted openly to debate the either side of Summa from folding question of Swedish aid to Finland.

take advantage of the new situation to effect a landing on the southern Intensified bombing and stra- coast across the frozen Gulf of Finland, in order to attack the right flank of the retreating Finnish forces. Such an attack would seriously compromise the situation in Viborg, Soviet infantry is now stated second largest city in Finland, which is now approximately 121/2 miles be-

Swedish Aid Sought SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" COPENHAGEN. Feb. 18 (UP) .--The "Politiken" to-day reports from Stockholm that the Russlans have

advanced five miles into the Mannerhelm Line near Summa. .The report adds that the Finnish censor permitted this statement to penetrated the crumbling Manner- pass, the action being interpreted as being almed to bolster the Finnish Their mechanised vanguard is now plea for Swedish military aid. Another report from Stockholm says that a Socialist member of the

Finnish G.H.Q., it in leared, will be Swedish parliament has asked the PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

FINNS ALSO INVADE TERRITORY

WITH THE FINNISH SKI PATROL IN RUSSIA, Feb. 18 (UP).—After a twelve hours' strenuous hiking and skiing trip from the last Finnish outpost on the southern part of the central front, I crossed into Russia Unplaced ponies (\$50) cach): Nos. to-day and penetrated the Karelian "Republic" with a

As I reached the border—eight feet I motored from Lieksa on the wide and not fortified from the Arc-Inari highway to the dugout of an tic coast to Lake Ladoga-three officer in this sector some miles from frontier soldiers welcomed me with

Grotosque Sights

From there I proceeded by horse sled to the Inst Finnish outpost, two miles from the Russian border. The ski patrols, their faces purple From thence I continued on skis over from the cold, told me that this was fields intricately lined with the tracks the nearest point to the Russians and former skiers.

seven deep within the race course this afternoon, according to a "Telegraph" correspondent on the course. will watch the Hongkong Derby at

THRONG VALLEY

Unprecedented crowds are standing

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W. L. HANDYSIDE,

HONGKONG CRICKET **CLUB**

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Air Mall for Manila, Guam, Honolulu & Fritz' report on this morning's Grenham and Mr. W. Simpson). Trading on the Manila Gold Share market continued dull and un- Hotel and tables reserved. interesting with the list showing fractional changes up and down.

United Paracale, Itogon and Big Wedge lost one-half centavo against equal gains in Surigae and North Camarines.

Upset Police building. FRESNO, (UP).—Fresno police Schuler said the ants, either in point. were bothered by anta in the short- building a nest or by dying by thou-

London Correspondents Bring to You Daily in this Page—the News-Mirror of the War—Highlights of Events which are Making History.

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New Appeal By B.W.O.F.

Lord Huntingfield's Letter To H.E.

The following is an extract from a letter to His Excellency Governor of Hongkong from Lord n. Huntingsield, in connection with the war activities in which the British War Organisation Fund of Hongkong b. is associated.

War Organisation of the n. British Red Cross Society and Order n. of St. John, have accepted the generous offer of the Lord Mayor of n. London, to place his Mansion House n. Appeal Organisation at their service. An organising body at the u. Mansion House has been formed under the Chairmanship and Deputy Chairmanship of the Lord Mayor and Lord Iliffe respectively.

"Among the Sub-Committees appointed by the Lord Mayor, dealing; with the various questions that b. arise in connection with the appeal made by H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester, on September 9, 1939, which resulted in the establishment of the Lord Mayor's Fund for the relief n. of sick and wounded and prisoners n. of war of the Fighting Forces of the Crown, is one specifically charged with keeping touch with H.M. Representatives overseas.

"I have been elected Chairman off this Sub-Committee, and am writing to inform you that it has now been set up.

New Appeal To Hongkong

"I am asking for the benefit of your intimate knowledge and understanding experience of Hongkong, and its people, and feel certain that n. plaining to them that whatever Mr. C. A. S. Russ requested Mr. n. generous effort they may already Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon n. have made, the resources of the Red' Magistracy to-day to reconsider at it. Cross and St. John Societies will sentence of a month's imprisonment in Cross and St. John Societies will passed by Me Macfadyen on a 73require constant replenishment. We passed by Mr. Macfadyen on a 73b. shall be delighted to send you a full year-old widow, Chan Yau-kul, who n. account of the Societies' joint work pleaded guilty to a charge of n which you might find useful for treatment of a child on February 16. n. making known the functions they for Chinese Affairs, opposed the perform in war time, and the ex-, n. pansion of their services which a n. | prolonged war will entail. "May I take this opportunity of

I generous contribution which Hong-temper. kong has already made through the Lord Mayor's Fund to the British Red Cross and St. John's Whr Organisation.

Supper Ball & Cabaret

Northcote, who will be present. The Cobaret Items will consist of said Mr. Russ.

(1) Two Dance numbers Song Concluding, Mr. Russ said that this Waltz and Potpourri Foxtrot—was an isolated case, and there was legation, Germany denies that the arranged by George Goncharoff, (2) no evidence at all of consistent Deptford, Garufalia and Thomas Erich Porges at the plane (by kind cruelty. permission of Jimmy's Kitchen) and A fine would meet the case. (3) Professor Labrum and his Per-.The following is Swan, Culbertson forming Horse (Lieut.-Commander J.

> LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-The death is announced of Sir Charles William Cayzer.

when technician Robert H. Schuler of the effect of any possible sugma that in any case a woman of this age favouritism" to Germany. found a colony of millions of ants of a sentence of imprisonment. The could not be given any unduly hard in the hollow pole, 333 feet above the only factor not taken into considera- labour, his Worship said he saw no applying to Britain's action are reeldework utop the Pacific Southwest

VOLKISCHER BEOBACHTER

CALLS THIS

Churchill's Blockade Wish-dream



Children of Europe, I love you so much I could cat you.



Russians—and Trees—

Look Alike By RALPH HEWINS, Daily Mail War Correspondent in Finland On the Salla Front.

EARLY this morning I crept through the cerie Finnish forest with a ski patrol and reconnoitred the Russian lines only 400 yards away.

For hours we picked our way among the trees. No one spoke. At every step the Russian guns might crash out. I almost wished they had. The strain of listening and watching in that great stillness hurt. But not a shot was fired.

This is the ghostly work the Finns must do every night.' A. hundred times forest growths appeared to me to take human shape. Were they hiding Russians? No-only trees. Good nerves are needed on these patrols.

We had our orders. Watch for any Russian move. If possible cut off any of the enemy daring to venture too far afield; surprise sentries chilled by the cold; capture prisoners for questioning; break field 'phones; damage commissariat and equipment. But we must not provoke a pitched fight.

At first I was keyed up, expecting uncanny silence to bebroken by the roar of artillery, the whine and rattle of shells. and machine-guns. I expected to have to dive into the snow for cover.

But as minutes passed my new-found animal alterness began to yield to careless complacency.

I dared to whisper. A hasty "S-sh" from the officer in charge reminded me we were in

Trees-Or Mon? A glance at the taut features of his men as they strained eyes and

ears for the slightest movement was enough to prevent me from being so carcless again. Time went on and the tension increased. Was I getting jumpy, or

were those trees, that hillock, those shrubs really trees and shrubs, or As it so often turned out, the whiteclad drm was only a branch; the prone hump only a tree trunk.

The officer raised a white-gloved hand. We waited breathlessly until mysterious_signs_and_passwords_enabled us to proceed. It was like going to a Ku-Klux-

Kinn meeting amid an endless forest My imagination began to play more tricks. A ghost waiting down n gentle slope made me start. It was only a skier hurrying across a At last we left the danger zone behind. "Is it always as still as:

Nightmaro "I could start the firing at any moment, but you newspapermen are valuable to us. Be quiet, please,

this?" I whispered.

was the reply. So it is on patrol. Silence. Always The Soviet planes used their silence. Nightly the Flnns cover up to 50 miles with the thermometer usually showing at least 40 degrees.

> Only men bred in the woods, unemotional, though sometimes mystic, can keep it up. They need at least two years' training on skis. Week in and week out they are

holding up the Russian steam roller a decree, requiring all males between mark affair which would cause fur- the ages of 22 and 43 inclusive who in these snowbound forest wilderhave not had military training to nesses.

For the Russians the strain must be almost greater. They live in a nightmare of fleeting white shadows In view of the fact that many of which may suddenly pump death at. these ages have already volunteers them with machine-guns at point blank range.

NAZI REPRISALS ARE EXPECTED

of conscripts will be small.

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A fine would meet the ease. In Norwegian waters, were torpedoed includes merchant ships of Mr. Frazer said he had been in by German craft. nationalities and which does not include the name of the Altmark. Britain Is Ready

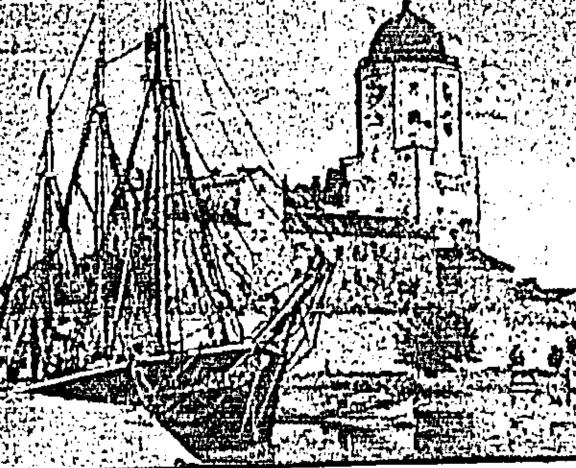
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP),-It is believed that Britain's daring action in rescuing the British seamen from the

Altmark may result in a new phase of warfare which will be characterised by a more outspoken attitude. sentence, the Court took full cog- labour at all. Considering the term on the part of the Allies regarding nisance of the age of defendant and of one month and the probability anything savouring of "neutral The epithets which Germany is

would be provided.

Often they presented nothing more. than a small mound which would

PEACE



AND

Soviet airmen have received strict orders

to attack only military objectives, says

Moscow. This picture (on the left) shows

the ruins of a building in Viborg after

bombardment by Soviet planes. Below,

a picture of Viborg in peace time.

WAR

Plea For Old Woman Rejected

Prison Sentence To Stand

Busing his application on the grounds of old age and poor health,

Mr. Russ said it appeared from re- "Norway is only trying to mainta. Its had been a severe one, but he under- Norway acted wrongly." n. expressing once more the deep grati-stood that the girl had been disn tude felt throughout the country by obedient and had deliberately broken neutrals concur with Norway's stand services and civillans alike at the n bowl. The punishment inflicted ob- and are determined that there shall The Finnish Government has issued

Feared Prison Stigma

Defendant, said Mr. Russ, was a very old and respectable woman, and to a woman of her age the stigma of going to prison was very high and A Supper Ball and Cabaret is may dwell deeply in her mind. She was a very sick woman, suffering which blames Britain for the sinking is thought that the resultant number being held at the Gloucester Hotel from heart and kidney diseases and of the Athenia, Terukuni Maru and on Thursday, February 20, 1940, at could not walk properly. Suffering other ships which have fallen victim 9.30 p.m., under the patronage of His from high blood pressure and the to Nazi warfare at sea, is now trying Excellency the Governor and Lady other diseases had a very serious to place the blame for recent sinkings effect on a person's mental outlook, in Norwegian waters on Mr. Winston

structed to oppose any change in the sentence given. If it was a question units in the vicinity at the time of Tickets \$5 single and \$8 double concerning the health of the woman, these sinkings," the German note. may be obtained at the Gloucester the suffering of the child endured claims.

Hotel and tables reserved. was also to be considered. It was Germ a very bad case of illireatment.

Full Cognisance Taken

Rejecting the application, Mr.

WINSTON AGAIN IN THE PILLORY

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the "Demokraten", in an editorial to-day points out that it has previously criticised the German torpedoing of neutral ships but now, in connection with the Altmark offair, it is likewise criticising England for bringing warfare into Norwegian territorial waters.

"Where now are the rights of neutral countries?" asks the paper, adding: "Germany has now the ex- yesterday. umple of the Altmark for making warnings of 'long-range con- near Helsingfors, were raided and sequences'. Yes! But why in all bombed. that is reality should the war so burden neutrals?"

Norway's Position

The "Berlingske Tiden" says: localities. The paper also asserts that other announcement in the Press of the viously resulted from a bad loss of be no further extension of the Alt-

ther violations of neutrality, because

claims to such steps would find no

basis in international law."

Berlin Denies Guilt. SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Churchill.

In a verbal note to the Norwegian Walton, which were sunk by U-Boats

Germany assures Norway that she has at all times respected the neutrality of Norwegian territorial

tion was the health of defendant, but reason to alter his decision. If any garded as laughable here in the face blanket.

SOVIET BREAK THROUGH THE MANNERHEIM LINE

FROM PAGE ONE

The Premier will give his reply on of Christmas trees. Mass Air Raids Continuo

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" HELSINGFORS, Feb. 19 (UP) .-Mass air raids on Finnish towns continue at an intensified tempo. Viborg was bombed several times Hyvinkaa and Karjan, two towns

Forty people were killed in a raid on Saimi. Two were killed at Yils-

machine-guns on civilians in four Helsingfors was free of raids, alports that the assault on the girl neutrality, but both sides claim that though the alarm was sounded twice. Finns Calling Up Reserves SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" HELSINGFORS, Feb. 19 (UP) —

> report for medical examination. Those found fit for service will be conscripted. BERLIN, Feb. 19 (UP).—Germany, and only a few have been rejected, it

FINNS ALSO INVADE SOVIET TERRITORY FROM PAGE ONE

been repulsed along an 18-mile front on the Lieksa-Innri highway since December 22 last year.

The only evidence of Russians I saw were the green frontier posts; those and some frozen Russian soldiers sitting in grotesque postures in four feet of mow, with rifles across their arms or their noses sticking out from the snow. Everywhere as I glided towards the border I saw signs of that twomonths-old retreat. Tractors and tunks upside down and rusting in the deep snow. Complements of the Russian battalions frozen stiff under the soft white blanket of snow.

break the surface of the mow there had been no evidence on this medical treatment were needed this of German attacks on neutral ship- As I started for the front, 40 Rus-

Mr. Macfadyen said if bad health Concluding, Mr. Macfadyen said Many quarters believe that some in the dugout I heard that they sands, short circuited the glant tube. was discovered, it was customary for the wounds inflicted can the child form of German reprisals will be had bombed a town, and damaged

Synopsis: Lovely Mary Haines, a happy wife and devoted mother is a member of New York's wealthy "gossip" set, a part of the circle that lives in the beauty salons, the gown shops and the bridge-clubs. One day she has the "girls" to lunch. She detects the veiled barbs of her cousin, Sylvia Fowler, an ace-meddler but is unaware that Sylvia has learned from Olga, her manicurist, that Stephen Halnes is "carrying on" with another girl. Quite innocently, she agrees to go to Olga for her next manicure. This story is based on the M.G.M. version of the stage play of the same name, which will be screened in Hongkong shortly.

Mary had awakened that icy draft blow over her.

"Yeah. This Crystal is a morning with the firm de-friend of mine. She's really a fure.

thing she didn't bother trying to understand. Nancy
Blake, off again that day

Crystal sells, she puts perfume

Crystal sells, she puts perfume

She sat at her mother's knee and said ever and over again with that affectionately and said. of her arm. So he got to smell-drenmed it could happen to us. "There's probably a man at ing around and I guess he liked

now the right hand. She's be-

FOR no reason at all, "H-hooked?" Mary felt an you told it to me." Blindly, she

SHE was at home an hour cision to change her coif- terrible mantrap. Sonk it, please, later, swallowed up in a black, The "why" of it was some- Black's. That's how she met agonising despair, when her Black's. That's how she met and it was some in. One glance

for Australia had laughed on her palm and in the crook blank feeling of unreality, "I never

so much in love to Stephen yet, have you?"

at her. Mrs. Morehead leaned forward. "Listen dear, this is not a ried ten years -'

"You mean he's tired of me."

"I know. There, there, baby. By lose your husband and your home. Sylvia said airily, "tall, fair and dis-

CRYSTAL indicated the bottle

"How amusing." The musical

the store. "Well Edith, the bum's



"I'm sorry but when one's mind

"Of course." Sylvin's smile was many men." There, let her climb

she was holding. "I wouldn't



ngain just be- "Well, that's what I call gratitude." bersonality at all. It's called cause he's grow- "Well, that's what I can gratitude, personality at all. It's called personality at all. It's called ing older. And his only escape is to see a difthe mirror of

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the bottom of it," and Mary had agreed. "Probably. hope Stephen will like it." She was sitting in the little manicuring booth now, being finished off by Olga.

In one hand she held a magazine, but reading, in the face of Olga's chatter, was well-nigh impossible.

week. Know Mrs. Potter? I did her at home last week. Those six daughters of hers are Those six daughters of hers are herself. "Never mind." absolute gangsters. Know Mrs. | " Stephen Haines?"

MARY started and looked up. "I think," Mary said uneven- I won't qualify our relationship ing her prey, she went on. "A "Oh sorry, Mrs. Fowler." Evidently the girl hadn't caught ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. How hands are left." her name. "What? Why yes, Fowler's friends came for."

you about that. Mrs. Fowler feels awfully sorry for her." laughed uncertainly.

girl. Crystal Allen. She's the Mary's voice broke. "And but --" one who's hooked Mr. Haines." please don't tell anyone that

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"You would if you knew this | "Stop telling that story."

Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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you came for. All Mrs. Fowler's terms. Women aren't chattels any here's this new kind, Summer out to-morrow, Mrs. Prowler." We belonged to each other freely, is so keen about." Covertly watch-

mother, I'm through—finished." ou about that. Mrs. Fowler "Mrs. Stephen Haines."

"Mrs. Stephen Haines."

"Mrs. — ?" Olga turned six colours. "Oh, gee, gee Mrs. "Oh, she does?" Mary "Well, I his out calmly. I'm going right this o up. "Mary. You mustn't say a sold it to him-ch?"

"Oh mother, it's sweet of you Mary, there's something more afraid I don't remember. We have for you to think of now than each so-many-men-come in here." other. There's your daughter."

Mary went silent with pain. Mrs. Morehead starting for the door. "One more piece of motherly advice. Don't confide in your girl friends."

"I think they all know." "But they don't think you know? Then leave it that way. If you let them advise you they'll see to it

GOVERNMENT "WINS" LOTTERY

MADRID.—The Spanis I Government did very well by itself in the Spanish holiday lottery. Besides winning the entire second prize, the Government also gets half of the winnings from the first prize ticket, which was shared by a holder

in Madrid. This first prize amounted to 15,-000,000 pesetas (nominally about G\$1,500,000) and the second prize, which the Government won outright, totalled 6,000,000 pesetas.

The holiday lottery has been re-

sumed in Spain last year on the same basis as before the civil war.

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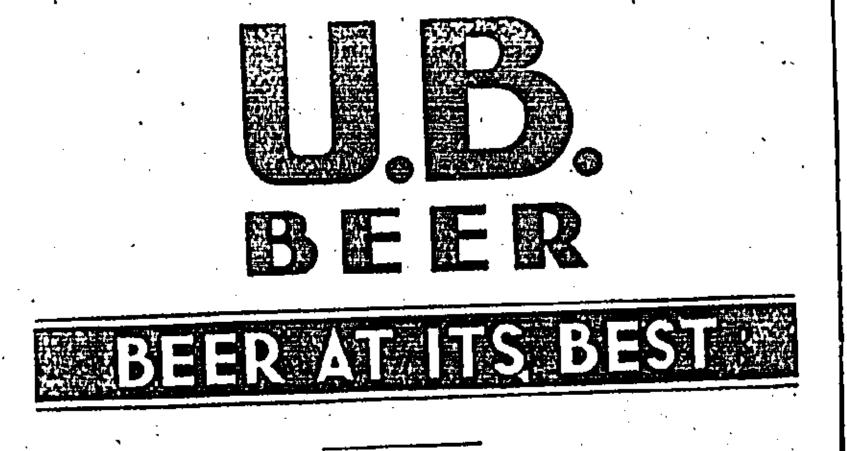
it. Since then they've been in-|some woman's eyes. This girl Sylvia gestured impatiently and rush in melody." She picked up a "You say Mrs. Fowler separable, practically every probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means in the probably means are the probably means are the probably means are the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to probably means are the probably means are sent you in?" Olga gabbed, evening. Jungle Red, I. sup- than a new dress does to you." | partment. Suddenly, she caught Crystal patronisingly. I'll take this ber breath. No doubt of it. that my dear." From her bag, she null-"Good heavens Mary, he doesn't red-head with the pansy eyes was ed out a crumpled sales slip. sent me three clients this Trembling, Mary got to her love the girl. If he did you'd have Crystal Allen. The description, "There's my name and address." "Twenty-five cents," Crystal said

sweetly. "My, you are getting oft Crystal glanced at the sales-slip.

Sylvia was snorting fire as she Alarmed, Mrs. Morehead jumped picked it out for her. Perhaps you dragged Edith along: "Prowler, huh. She called me that deliberate-

The Cats

working. She said smoothly, "I'm





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"BIG SHIP-EASY TARGET," THEY SAY

(Continued from Page 6.)

would be rendered innocuous if faced by a fleet containing battleships. We somewhere. But to score a "bull" cannot, therefore abolish battleships requires the same skill, or the same unless other nations agree to do so luck. A "target" cannot retaliate; a and keep their promise.

Defying The Vilest Weather

risking our own security? We can, provided others also do it. the British Admiralty were never of retaliation would exist if she were In fact, the Washington Treatyaverse to discussing such limitations. which no longer exists—imposed, in 1922, a limit of 35,000 tons.

There are, however, difficulties about limitation. Our Empire, havlarge enough to keep the sea in any ship is considered, it must be realised weather in any part of the world; that a battleship usually works as our ships must be able to go where part of a fleet not as a single ship; required, so that a sufficient force whether with a fleet or alone, it is can be in the right place at the right screened against submarine attack time. Other nations do not share by attendant small craft. these requirements to the same ex-

just how large a battleship should battle-fleet is seldom attacked by a as size is increased, there has always been a temptation, not often resisted, to go one better than the other fellow.

As battleships increase in size the other fellow.

As battleships increase in size the bit because the chances of a successful bit because the chances of a successful cost to the taxpayer increases with hit, because the proportion of "water startling rapidity. Not only has the space" to "ship space" in a line extra tonnage to be paid for, but would remain about the same, also special plant must be manufactured to turn out the enormous guns required. There is practically no limit to the amount which may have be included in a 60,000-ton battle-

to be spent along the sea routes. bases distributed about the world, action would far outweigh the slight The larger the ship, the more difficult extra chance of damage due to the to manocuvre in narrow, and espec- large target to be almed at. Also, the ially in shallow, waters; the larger bigger the ship, the stendier the gun must be the dry dock to accommodate platform in rough weather. her, the longer and more solid the We could obtain security with wharves; and more dredging is neces- battleships much smaller than they sary to make harbours navigationally are to-day if other nations would safe for her reception. These harbour works are very expensive. such an agreement is reached, we lit is a vicious circles which can be must continue to dance to the popu-

efforts to prevent it. Luck Needed For A "Bull" THE argument against large ships —because "the bigger the ship, the in two ways. If the big ship, the big target, is lost, the loss is, of course, greater than if the unit was of smaller dimensions—there would be more eggs in the basket

be more eggs in the basket.

And it goes without saying that the bigger the target, the easier it is hit

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battleship can. The bigger the ship. the more powerful and numerous can be her guns and the greater her speed, all of which give her more chance of CAN we reduce the size without crippling an enemy before being damaged herself.

To a smaller extent the advantages Iship, and from other ships of the Fleet, a direct hit from the air is no certainty.

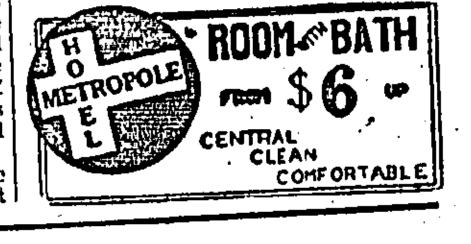
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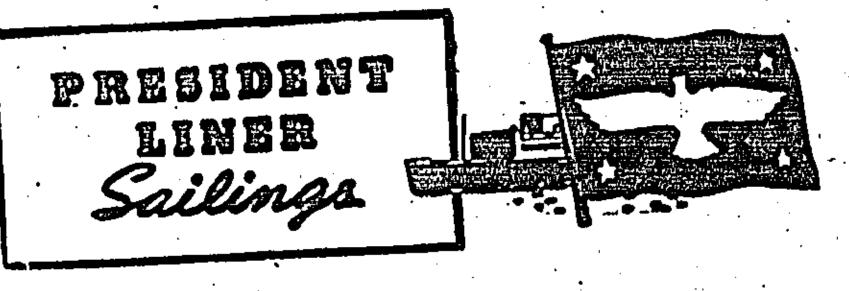
Although the extra length would favour the submarine, the actual There is nothing to tell us off-hand advantage would in reality be very

So Much Depends On Others

THE power and speed which can ship is far greater than in one of Ships must have repair and supply 35,000 tons, and such advantage in an

such an agreement is reached, we prevented only if the nations of the prevented only if the nations of the world are genuine and united in their which is satisfied with modest dimensions to prevent it.





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Nazis Fled Ashore, Opened Fire On Destroyer With Rifles

LONDON, FEB. 18 (REUTER).—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED IN BERLIN THAT SEVEN GERMANS WERE KILLED IN THE ALTMARK INCIDENT AND THAT ANOTHER IS MISSING, PRESUMED DROWNED. FIVE WERE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

About 150 of the 250 of the Altmark's prisoners, who were taken to hospital at Leith, were able to leave to-day to return to their homes.

A dramatic account of the boarding party's exploit was given to "Reuter" to-day.

The officer in charge of the party leaped eight feet from the Cossack to the Altmark, waving a revolver and shouting "Come on, at Bergen. follow me!"

LIKE FRIGHTENED RABBITS

wounding one man in the shoulder.

After recounting the story of

which it calls a "heartening

Times" says that it is regrettable

that we should have to do any-

Norwegians Criticised

prisoners to Germany.

ports H.M.S. Cossack's action.

The British Press also considers

up from Germany does not alter our

Time To Laugh

their ships, it is time to laugh.

Churchill To Speak

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-Mr.

Astonishing Claim

It is authoritatively pointed out that

The remaining 34 were saved.

the ship as hurriedly as they could get overboard. They

It was then that the British fired in retaliation.

The Altmark is still aground with about 100 Germans

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- "It was in the best traditions

DEBUNKING

THE NAZIS

Oslo Paper Becomes

Realistic

Not So Gullible

Charity Worker

occupied much of her life.

Church on February, 26.

Britain, it is announced.

Maltese To Join

MALTA, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -Re-

abuse of our paper.

with this article."

who are expected to be discharged to-morrow.

Rescued Briton Tells Of Ordeal

STILL AGROUND LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Interviewed by the BBC, one aboard. She is being guarded by Norwegian warships. of the British sailors freed from the Altmark, to-night broadcast a short account of the terrible conditions under which the left and treated the wounded Germans, three of whom Nazis kept over 300 British have been sent ashore to hospital. sailors.

He said the food was small BEST TRADITIONS UPHELD and scarce. The daily menu ran as follows:

Breakfast at 7 a.m. Three thin of Nelson and an action that was fully justified." says both pieces of black bread; tea with no public and Press opinion in Britain to-day in connection with sugar or milk.

Dinner at 2.30 p.m. One pint of the Altmark incident. soup or tinned potatoes and meat, the rescue of British sailors, Ten at 5.30 p.m. Three thin pieces of black bread and another cup of sugarless and milldess tea. piece of news," the "Sunday That was all.

Cards Kept Spirits Alive

When the desperate attempt at thing to affront a country which mutiny was discovered they were all has so many claims on our respect as put on bread and water for two days. Norway, but the Norwegian authori-The British sailors tried to keep ties on the spot put themselves in the up their spirits by starting card wrong. schools, contract and auction bridge and cribbage all attracting devotees. There-was-little-exercise-possible, although they managed to play leap frog. But they had to be careful not to jump too high otherwise they got a nusty crack on the head,

There was also a system of barter. pound, and a box of matches cost no British prisoners on the Altmark? day parts of the article and presented position.

Nazi Doctor Landed

The rescued sailor closed his talk for his kindness and humanitarian that the Nazi protest has not a leg to "If ever I met a white man it was

judgment in the least, says the paper. that doctor," he declared, adding: "We tried to find him at the finish to thank him. He bandaged up our naval rating last night." Relished The lob

One of the released prisoners, Aubrey Jenkins, of the Dorle Star, told a thrilling story of the bravery British action has aroused misgivings against it the case of German and during of the men from the Cos- in view of the difficulties the Ameri- trawlers' violation of Norwegian can nations have experienced in fisheries and the disappearance of

He said: "Immediately the grap- matters of a naval character, says the Norwegian ships. pling irons were affixed to the sides Washington correspondent of the of the Altmark, men from the Cos- "New York Times." He continuer: sack fairly leapt to their job. They "Nevertheless, if the Altmark was a appeared to relish the venture as naval auxiliary cruiser, as the prethey landed on the Altmark's deek sence of German sailors on board her

with pistols and flashing bayonets. | would seem to indicate, there is con-"During the scrap, it was ob- siderable justification for the British vious that the Germans had not action." the stomach to face the brave and reckless sailors. One German pistol to shoot one of the boarding Winston Churchill, the First Lord of standing alongside me raised a party, but he was not fast enough." the Admiralty, is expected to make a

Another ex-prisoner, George John- statement in the House of Commons ston, of Newton Beach, produced on the Altmark capture. copies of a statement made to the Newton Beach - crew by the Commander of the Graf Spee and by the Commander, of the Altmark to the

The statement by the Graf Spec's considerable astonishment in Lon- was the only sister of Mr. A. M. L. against Russia. "We, the German people, the English nation but owing to your country declaring war on mine, am forced to take your ship as a prize of war to defend our honour

of Telegraphic and Wireless Com-Rovengo Treatment. munication at Berne, a German The Altmark's commander's state- vessel named Altmark appears as a ment quoted a report in Dutch news- warship. papers describing the treatment, of German prisoners in Africa and added that because of this, any request by British prisoners in the ship -would be definitely refused.

JERUSALEM, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -- LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .-- The High Commissioner for Palestine, Sir Captain and a fireman lost their lives Harold MacMichael, to-day inspected when the 3,656-ton British steamer, cruiting for the R.A.F. has been and addressed Palestinian Arabs and Baron Allsa, sank after an explosion arranged for Maltese nationals under Jewish volunteers in the Auxiliary in the North Sea last night. Military Pioneer Corps.

Britain Protests

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -The Foreign Office states: "Lord Halifax yesterday complaint with Minister against the failure of the Norwegian authorities to establish the presence of between 300 and 400 British prisoners aboard the Altmark when she was searched [(Domei) .- The Swedish Govern-

"The Norwegian Minister was asked to obtain urgently an explanation of the circumstances which have given

"He was informed that it appeared to His Majesty's Government that the Norwegian Government had, in this matter, failed in their duty as a neutral, and that His Majesty's to Finland avoiding involvement in Government felt that the case against the war though financial and this particular ship was such that they humanitarian assistance has been were justified in pressing that the permitted.

Strong Note To Norway

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The British Government's communication to the Norwegian Government says that it is notorious that the Altmark participated in the depredations of the Graf Spee to which she had acted

The British Government had the viously imprisoned in the Altmark. The Danish radical newspaper Politi-

Ship's Record Well Known

cumbent on the Norwegian Governrequested passage, through Norwegl-an territorial waters to subject her to

H.M. Government would be grateful for full particulars with regard to how the search was conducted and

Perfunctory Examination man report that February 15 was a were discovered.

ternational law to allow Norweglan that protests against inquiries into parently falling in her duly as a waters to be used for taking British ship sinkings are being held in neutral, the note asks if they had found British prisoners aboard what use these waters and why did the publication of the German official Either they would have released Towards the end tobacco was so Norwegian authorities tell the British interpretation of sea warfare, writes: them or anyhow have held them scarce that it was selling at £1 a destroyer commander that there were The German radio broadcast yester- pending a-full examination of the

H.M. Government felt, therefore, Norwegian Government that the selves. It was an attempt to guil that they had every right to complain whole of British public opinion sup- Germany and the neutrals by the of the inaction of the Norwegian

"In future we cannot see our way weeks and months in close confineto accept any explanation from that ment and if those prisoners had found quarter and we shall judge every their way to a camp in Germany, the authoritative German notification Norwegian Government would have One was killed, three are missing

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).— According to authoritative in-Prominent Church And night, Germany has officially in- during the period February 11 to 17 formed Norway and Sweden that she would regard any direct and French registration. A British The Portuguese community has aid given by those countries to airplane of the Blenheim type was lost a deeply respected member in Finland as a breach of neu- also shot down."

Carmen Soares Alves, wife of Mr. LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-The C. J. M. Alves, of 302 Prince Edward reason why Sweden rejected the munique issued to-day states: "Af-"unarmed merchantship" has caused Mrs. Alves was 54 years of age, and Finnish appeal for military assistance | ter very heavy preparation with Believed To Be A Bluff

Born in Hongkong, Mrs. Alves was The German attitude is held to the Moselle. He falled entirely. there is no trace of any vessel called a prominent member of the Portu- prove that any country aiding a wish to have penceful relations with Altmark in Lloyd's Register of Mer- guese community, and devoted a neighbour attacked by Russia must great deal of her time to church and reckon on having to deal with Ger-On the other hand, in the June, charitable work. She was one of the many as well as the Soviet.

published by the International Union and her efforts on behalf of charity, Germany will hardly dare to implealthough accomplished very quietly, ment her threat as it is against her Interests to create another war front. The funeral will take place to- Newspapers generally stress the morrow afternoon, and a Requiem view that the solution of the problem Mass will be said in St. Teresa's of saving Finland lies with the Scandinavian States.

10.000 Italians To Aid Finns PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter),-A legion of 10,000 Italians living in France, headed by Camillo Marabini, President of the Italian Garibaldeaus who fought in Argonno during the Great War, is leaving for Finland shortly, according to a statement by Signor Marabini to the newspaper, "L'Intransigeant."

Finland Seeking Wilitary Alliance?

Reported Approach To The Allies

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 "Folketz (Domei). — The Dagbritt" says that the Finnish Government is now making earnest efforts to conclude a military agreement with Britain and

The paper reports that the Finnish Premier, Dr. Riti, and the Finnish Foreign Minister, M. Tanner, will shortly visit London to ask for further assistance. Swedish Rejection Of Appeal

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 ment to-day officially confirmed that the Finnish request for military aid has been rejected because it tended to prejudice

Informed political quarters, how-ever, understand that Sweden's neu-tral policy will become all the more difficult since Sweden is in a position to relay the supply of arms to Finland. Some circles understand that Britain will so regulate her supply of meat, rubber and oil to Sweden as to make the latter extend positive assistance to Finland.

Sweden's "No" To Finland SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" COPENHAGEN, Feb. 18 (UP) .--

ken says: "The Swedish Premier's 'no': to Finland was certainly not an "It has evoked a deep feeling in

The record of the Altmark must | "It can be expected that from the have been well-known to the Norwe- side of those circles who insisted on gian Government, and in the view of direct intervention in Finland, will His Majesty's Government, it was in- come a stronger effort to make the Swedish Government change its attitude. These circles were hitherto an absolute minority, but it has often been experienced that a change in public sentiment has been able to dis-

lodge the Swedish Government. "Nevertheless; it is probable that the conflict over the English violation of Norwegian neutrality will weaken the activists sentiments.

Reports received by H.M. Govern- "For here is a situation which all LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The ment have indicated that the Swedes, without exception, want to Oslo paper, "Dagbladet," on February examination was perfunctory as avoid—a situation whereby Sweden 17 commented ironically on the Ger- shown by the fact that no prisoners might be drawn into the war and which might make Sweden a theatre

French Patrol Suffers Casualties

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).and eight have been seriously in-The note concludes by demanding jured as the result of Nazi land-

'A French patrol suffered these casualties when it penetrated into German territory west of the River German companies attacked two

French outposts on Saturday. They were repulsed. An arrive in German Communique SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).-To-day's communique issued by the German High Command said: "During patrol operations west of Merzing yesterday several prisoners were brought in. "As already announced by a formation received in Paris to- special message during the week,

> Nazi Attack Fails PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-A comone of our outposts to the east of

"On other parts of the front, then

was patrol activity on either side."

Roosevelt In The Panama Canal

CRISTOBALS, Feb. 18 (Reuler) .--President Roosevelt arrived at Gatun Docks in the U.S.S. Tuscaloosa at 0 a.m. E.S.T. to-day and disembarked an hour later to inspect the Panama Canal locks and defences. After his Inspection, President

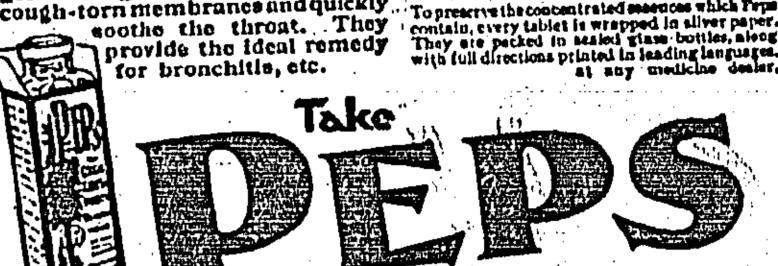
Roosevelt crossed the Isthmus of Panama by train and re-embarked on the Tuscoloosa at Miraflores Lock . It is believed that he plans to go to Pearl or Cocos Islands for a few days' fishing before returning through the Canal.

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rise to this complaint. The Germans scuttled like frightened rabbits and left

took positions on high rocks and opened fire blindly, Altmark should be interned." Among those still in hospital are about 70 Lascars,

as an auxiliary.

reasons, confirmed by British subjects A Norwegian-doctor went on board when the British taken off the Graf Spec and preto know that there were some 300 or 400 Britishers aboard who had long been living under intolerable condi- easy 'no'."

The Altmark was also credibly be- Sweden, which is divided between Leved to possess offensive armaments. Inner desires and realistic considera-

ment when she entered Bergen and

a very careful search. what facts discovered.

After referring to Norway ap- of war."

-They had no business under in- "successful" day for sea warfare and Why did Norway allow them to The "Handel," referring to its would they have done with them?

The "Sunday Graphic" Informs the It as though we had written it our-Government. The 300 Britishers were kept for

from the experience we have had been responsible for their fate. The same paper, in an editorial the internment of the Altmark. When the murderers of the high comment, describes the Altmark

seas invoke legal protection for affair as "something which Berlin shricks out to be a frightful breach of Nazi Threats There is little question that the Norwegian neutrality" and sets To Neutrals Won't Tolerate Aid For Finland

the death early this morning of Mrs.

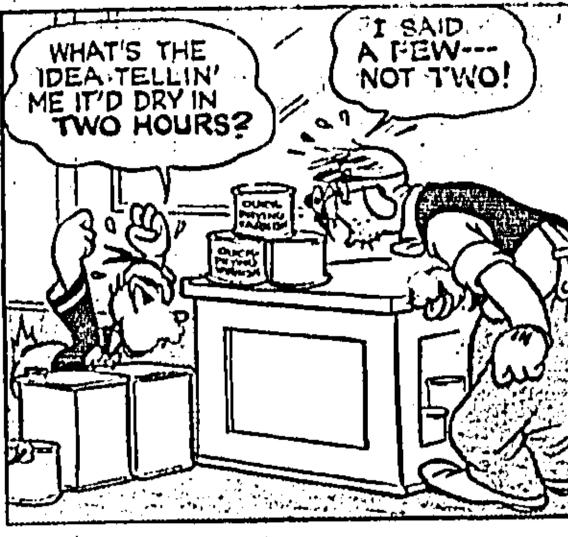
This is considered to have been the

1939, list of coast and ship stations founders of the St. Teresa's Church, The Press, however, opines that

Walt

DUCK DONALD







"A DAY in the life of a German bombing expedition."

WINTER FREAKS BRING

MANY CALAMITIES

Northern Japan Shivers As

Tokyo Areas Go Thirsty

SHANGHAI, Feb. 19 (UP).—The severest winter of the

the effects.

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

century is inflicting heavy toll of human lives in various parts

It is estimated that in the course have not been hit to the same extent of several recent brief waves of cold, because the winter there has not been

during the week ending January 28. In Japan, deaths from the low

Chinese economists are optimistic, heaviest snowfall for 50 years,

Shanghal; however, has suffered killed as a result of avalanches.

of the Far East.

more noticeable.

China is particularly suffering

in this respect, but the effects !

on Japan's industrial and agri-

cultural life are said to be the

underled refugees concentrated in

cities such as Shanghai, have perish-

ed. In Shanghui nione, 4,000 died

Bumper Rice Crop Hopes

50,000 Chinese, most of whom were severe.

Civil and Military Gazotte.

from lack of heating as a result of

high fuci costs. Coal has now

reached the phenomenal price of

260 yuan per ton, and the coal in-

dustry, already disrupted as a re-

suli of the war, is seriously feeling

New industries in western China

Japan Suffers

Northern Japan has seen the

and disruption of communications and





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By SEFTON DELMER

HITLER is trying to lead foxy Joe Stalin into a campaign of conquest in the Middle East against Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan and India, so that the Russian armios may create a diversion for a German push into south-eastern Europe.

He may have to push south-east soon, as the Balkans are rapidly closing against him, refusing him necessary supplies, which may force him into making an attempt to get them by arms.

Diplomatic agents, military experts, newspaper propaganda, all have been mobilised for the task of dazzling before the eyes of Stalin, the riches of the East; the domination of regions which throughout history have been the happy huntingground of Georgian raiders.

What success he is having is not yet clear.

Threat In East

Many reports are coming in speaking of Russian concentrations of troops on the border of Iran, Afghanistan, and Eastern Turkey.



50 YEARS AGO

25 YEARS AGO

The communique claims that the this purpose. Russians were also encircled and severely beaten. Those remaining The Japanese, too, are interested. escaped into the forest of Sawalki and A Japanese mission has arrived in

Many Russians were killed and the number of prisoners has not yet been! They are to study the situation in ascertained, but it is surely over fifty the Middle East, and prepare everythousand, together with forty guns and thing for a deal by which Japan sixty machine guns as well as much would buy from Turkey, Iran, and

comrades despite very adverse

splendidly by Generals Elchhorn and lion men, is not well equipped von Buelow. Four Germans interned in the pri-

soners' camp at Hunghom succeeded in effecting their escape from the camp tion is grave in Turkey and southyesterday. Details of the matter show eastern Europe. German radio that five men made the attempt, but attacks on Turkey are becoming that the fifth was caught in the at attacks on Turkey, are becoming tempt, the other four managing to get more and more violent as it becomes away. Up to the time of writing, one clear that Turkey will not help of the escaped prisoners has been cap- Germany to obtain by overland tured in the New Territory.

10 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19, 1930. Chief interest in the tennis championship which was continued yesterday was centred in the appearance of Paul Kong (Kong Too-cheun), the Shanghai Interport player, who met T. Akiyama in the second round of the Open Singles.

The full results of yesterday's mutches were as follows:

Club Championship.—Dr. J. Valentine beat W. H. Sueur, 6-4, 6-2.

5 YEARS AGO

the Hongkong Jockey Club, the south-eastern push. Russian help in Stewards to-day banned parti-mutuel the form of a diversion engaging betting on a pony. Shortly before the Turkish, British and French troops start of the Exchange Plate, a notifica- must obviously be highly desired by tion was posted on the course stating the German Staff. that, until further notice, Liberty Bay, the unbeatable Dunbar stable mount, Discouraged would be excluded from the betting.

R.A.F. PLANE IS LOST

. SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ing to an official announcement by controlled oilfields in Iran and Iraq, the Air Ministry, a British plane to- Stalin, as a Georgian, probably

nalstance alght. Construction in the land on the The announcement added that this this direction. was the second British plane reported

Iranians, and the Afghans are doing their best to dishim. example of Finland's so far highly successful resistance before them, they are preparing to meet any Russo-

Her President, General Inonu, has gone up to Erzerum to - Feb. 19, 1915. inspect them and the prepara-Ecuter's correspondent at Amsterdam tions for extending the Turkish states that a Berlin communique reports that a nine days' winter battle strategic railway here by a furon the Masurian Lakes has taken place with the Russian Tenth Army, of eleven infantry divisions and several cavalry the Russian frontier. A credit divisions, who were thrown across the of £2,000,000 has been voted for

should the Japanese decide to give it: General von Hindenburg directed the For the Iranian Army, though well operations which were carried out trained and numbering about a mil-

Radio Threats

For Germany, certainly, the situaroutes raw material supplies from the Middle and Near East.

refusing to grant them the thirtyeight per cent, premium they are demanding on purchases of oil and other raw materials. For she can export these more profitably to countries like Britain and France.

Five trains a day of sixty trucks each were to have been despatched from December 2. None has yet

For the first time in the history of couth-postern bush. Bussian belo in

But I cannot see Joe Stalin taking this line, not if he is as wily as they sny he is. The Finnish experiment of his army's strength has hardly been encouraging so far,

Besides, attractive as the German invitation must be, that he should LONDON, Feb. 18 (UP) -Accord- help himself to the rich Britishday failed to return from a recon- knows what difficult country faces troops wanting to make a drive in

Mountains make communications Balkaris and on the Dardanelles. I the annals of the power industry has



"The Kalser attended the decisive battles of our troops, old Easterns with young troops, who, especially allotted turn munitions and guns to this task, proved equal to their old comrades despite despite."

Afghanistan raw materials, mainly and RETURN agricultural products, offering in return munitions and guns "A DAY in the life of the comrades despite despite agricultural products, offering in re-

Rumania is standing up more firmly to the Germans. She is which pay in gold.

Open Singles.—Luk Ding-choung best

D. Mohamed 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5; E. F. for the Germans, now that the
Fincher best H. Owen Hughes 6-3, 6-0,

Danubo is freezing up and river 7-5; S. E. Green beat Wong Fuk-nam deliveries of oil and grain are becom6-1, 6-1, 6-2; Kong Too-choung beat T. ing impossible, the Russians still Open Doubles.—F. A. Redmond and A. L. Bullivan beat H. J. Armstrong and O.E.C. Marton 6-0, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5; C. A. L. Rumjahn and J. A. E. Cassumbhoy beat T. C. Monaghan and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks in the Russian and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks in the Russian and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks in the Russian and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks in the Russian and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks in the Russian and Russ

The temperatures recently have not temperatures are estimated at 1,000 been excessively low and there have of which 700 were drowned when a been no blizzards. As a result losses Russian fishing boat grounded last to livestock and crops have not been December in the Soya Strait during a extensive. Certainly Germany has every

claiming that the snowfall will be some places the drifts being 25 feet conducive to another bumper rice deep. Communications have been inter- There has been a heavy destruction rupted only for brief intervals.

their oil from Russia.

to reckon with. Italian newspapers showing that British engineers are busy building defensive roads in the north of Iraq, as well as the strateacross Syria to the Persian Gulf.

to be missing within 40 hours under between Northern Iran and the oil- feel sure Stalin will think twice there been such a calamity in although most of them suffered from fields so difficult that in Northern about this German invitation.



'midday.''



the Finns against the Russians in 1918?'

"Silly ass, that time it was gainst Lenin and the Bolhoviks." Trots Alt, Stockholm.



NOW WHAT? St. Louis

Star-Times. Nazi Death Roll Seven

Casualty List In The Altmark Affair

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERGEN, Feb. 18 (UP).-Another German sailor from the Altmark died at Kristianssand to-day, making the seventh Nazi fatality in this affair. The other injured sailors are re-

ported to have a fair chance for re-Most of the crew are still aboard the Alimaric which remains aground.

British Sailors Recover

"They are in fairly good shape."

The man in the city streets in 78 people are known to have been BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" EDINBURGH, Feb. 18 (UP) .-Western Japan has suffered from a More than 150 of the British prisoners Iran even now they prefer to buy drought unprecedented for the past 60 years. The drought is centred in hospital here this morning and And then there is always Britain the Tokyo, Osaka and Kobe inentrained for their homes. dustrial areas, where 50 per cent, of Many of those still detained are are giving frominence to reports the power has been curtailed as a suffering only from exhaustion. result of a shortoge in the reservoirs. One man under observation was

As an example, the Yamaguchi rebut it is now believed that the original servoir, which supplies Tokyo, is dingnosis was wrong. gle railway stretching from Turkey more than half empty. The doctors says, that the men withstood the hardships remarkably

Italy, too, could hardly tolerate a Referring to this the "Abahi withstood the hardships remarkably Russo-German's upheaval in the Shimbun" says. "Nover before in well." Western Japan."

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6.0 "For the Children." 6.30 Closing local Stock Quotations. 6.32 An hour of Variety with Jack Savage and His Cowboys, Frances Day, Leslie Hutchinson, Clapham and Dwyer, and Others. 7.30 London Relay-The News.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 This week's programmes. 8.07 Studio-Plano Recital by Dorcen Ma.

Is that the way to treat a Sweetheart; Waltz Medley.—(a) Roses of
Picardy; (b) The World is Waiting
for the Sunrise; (c) When Irish Eyes
are Smiling; Over the Rainbow; It
took a Million Years; I Cried for You. Primo Scala's Accordeon

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9.05 Waltzes. 9.15 London Relay-News Sum-9.30 London Relay- This Flee-

dom"-7,-Talks by Sir William Beveridge and G.D.H. Cole. 9.45 "Folk Music of Many Nations" -1: English.-The Comical Fellow; Folk Dance Band cond by Ronnie Munro; The Berkshire Tragedy; A Sad Enling; Oliver Cromwell; Our Bill (F. H. Grisewood) with Piano; The Tempest; Thady You Gander; Folk Dance Band conducted by Ron-

nie Munro. 10.0 Coleridge Taylor-Three Dream Dances.-London Palladium Orchestra conducted by Clifford Greenwood.

10.10 Selections from Gilbert & Bullivan's "Iolanthe." 10.28 Some Old Dance Favourites. 11.0 Close down.

Another Two Ships Caught NAZI SCUTTLERS

CAUGHT NAPPING SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP).— Attempts by German ships in many neutral ports to reach Germany are proving disastrous

for the ships concerned. It is estimated that at least fifteen left various ports last week in obedi-ence to Hitler's instructions. Of these, several have been scut- orders. tled, and two captured. To-day, a further two are added to cargo of manganese ore.

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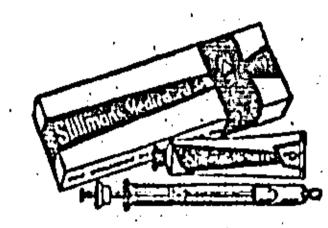
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British Capture Nazi Steamer

LONDON. Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The German steamer, Morea, 3,000 tons, with a cargo of manganese, has been captured by a British warship and brought into a West Country port.

Seven officers and 23 men have entrained for an internment camp.

the list of ships captured by British warships. They are the 2,452-ton Rostock and the 1,927-ton Morea, The crews did not have time to carry out Hitler's "scuttle and burn" Aboard the Morea was a valuable

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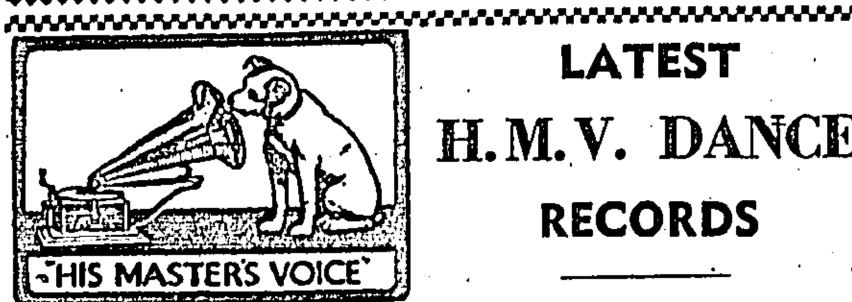
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DEATH

ALVES.—At her residence, 302 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, at 3.30 a.m. on February 19, 1940, Carmen Soares, aged 54, dearly beloved wife of Chevalier Jose Miguel Alves. Funeral will leave the house at 4 o'clock to-morrow. (Feb. 20) passing the Monument, Hongkong, about 5.15 p.m.

Monday, February 19, 1940. Wyndham St., Hongkong Telephone: 26615

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Blockade Power

In the list of materials destined for Germany but détained by our Ministry of Economic Warfare we have proof of success which cepted by the Allied contraband griffins. control. Seizures of the very commodities essential to the maintenance of armaments are still aggression is that in all the materials which modern warfare tures shows at once the extent of the dependence of German military effort on supplies which she cannot obtain from contiguous countries and the power of the blockade to stop supplies from overseas. In two months 87,540 tons of petroleum and 81,500 ton of iron ore were captured, tens of thourands of tons of manganese and aluminium ores, great quantitles of copper, lead and zinc, and valuable amounts of rarer metals necessary in munitions. Materials for explosives and war stores bulk large in the list. The blockade has been specially effective against armament imports, and its effect is far greater than the figures exhibit. What is seized we can compute. What Germany had contracted for but found no shipping to bring must be a far larger ll I amount.

There is no source from which the Fuehrer's ministers can make good these deficiencies. Russia, ed, may supply some petroloum and perhaps sufficient manganese. the countries which in the first prospect of Hitlerism in its first word "battleship." armament programme. As the neutral shipping.

RITA CANNON, the first woman racing correspondent, writing for the racing season fans, tells you

CAN'T RACE!

'M ONLY TWO

NEXT BIRTHDAY.

riding comfort, appointments and THE season has opened, and from among the scores of horses in training the supporters of the Turf will be looking for animals to provide them with the undoubted thrill of winning races at the right time.

But here is something I would like to believe that the public. appreciated at its true value. All concerned with racing would benefit if people realised the fact that a pony is not a machine.

Just because a pony is feeling fit on his first outing and the luck of the race goes his way and he is able to win is no reason to accuse him of being a rogue or his jockey of being incompetent or even worse if he does not happen to win the second time he appears on a racecourse.

A Rest After Winning

OWNERS, trainers, and jockeys are all anxious to win as many races as possible. Naturally, they cannot always hope or even expect to do so.

At this time of the season trainers are particularly anxious to win quickly so as to find some line of form by which to judge the other ponies in their stables and to know how good or how backward they are.

Those ponies which will be running to-day, for instance, will be expected to win more races later on in the season. They have to earn their keep; and it is impossible to maintain a pony at concert pitch throughout the season.

Remember, a pony has to be tremendously fit, and the job of getting him so entails a great deal of clever, patient treatment on the part of his trainer and lot of exacting work on the part of the pony-work that tests him right up to his capacity.

he has to be let down somewhat, ing stables, life is a bit difficult the man on his back. given an easy time, and then for him.

Difficult Griffins

DOZEN things may back. million ton have already been inter- the most difficulty are the yez of injury.

> because they happen to be well side him. bred and show a turn of speed.

leaves the green fields of Austra- It is the trainer's and the with his hoofs.

From the moment a youngster majority seek company.

brought up to fitness again for Then he has a bit put in his great number of people know seeing a racecourse for the first his next effort.

mouth and is gradually taught about the horseslesh they like to time and having their attention

attempt. Generally up by walking and trotting, and hind feet down in the hoofmarks Study the breeding of a pony betters expectation. It has been speaking, the ponies with which gradually brought on until he of his forefeet. That's usually and, particularly, the breeding of announced that more than a both trainers and backers have can be galloped without any dan- a pony that can gallop. the dams. Then throughout the

These young ponies are grow- of that the average youngster gallops low and smooth, parti-uing-during—their—two-year-old-does-not-thoroughly realise what larly when the going is hard, as ing why not study it from points season; most of them do not is wanted of him. If he is being it is at present. know their work properly, and galloped with another pony, or piling up. The fundamental yet the public expect them to more than one, his natural inweakness of Hitlerism's policy of run with the steadiness and con-clination is to edge over towards sistency of old performers just the other animal and keep along-

requires the territory of the Reich, with all that it has annexed, is singularly poor. The list of cappoint of view.

Let me give you a picture of dominating character may object and stretches himself. He does the breed of the racehorse. Don't of not bound along like a deer wast-expect ponies to be banged and gallop alongside them, but the ing a lot of his time in the air leathered and knocked about just

OBJECTION BY THE COLT. When a pony is really fit he lia and is taken through the is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of popular land to be a like the pony that looks are like to be a like the pony that looks are larger to look the look the look the look to look the look the look that look the look that look the l is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young is capable of doing his utmost, travelling to Hongkong, and from pony to keep on his own, to con- as though he has some idea of the still greater excitement of serve his energy and to give his what is wanted of him. Watch supreme effort of winning a race that until he arrives at the train-sole attention to the demands of though, of course, this is a

to obey it. After that he has to bet on. Watch the ponies walk-distracted by dozens of animals submit to carrying a lad on his ing round the ring. Look out they have never seen before, and for the one that walks with a also by the noises and sights of happen during that From then onwards he is built big, smooth stride and puts his the grandstand and enclosures.

But even after a few months post. Look for the pony that have.

Watch These Points

MANY a good pony judged by the form-book.

standing fourteen DACING is a great a hands looks about twelve when

quality not always to be expected

It is surprising how little a among the youngsters who are-

Watch them going down to the season, watch how ponies be-

If you take an interest in rac-book? Some of the greatest racehorses are completely mis--

PACING is a great sport, and one of its chief A few ponies of strong and he is galleping. He goes down objects is to improve steadily and slapping the ground hard to provide a winner for people-

66 BIG SHIP-EASY TARGET, 99

 B_{γ} Vice-Admiral J. E. T. Harper, C.B., M.V.O.,

who compiled the official record of the Battle of Jutland. He comments in this article on an American admiral's condomnation of the 80,000-ton warship and gives his views on some of the points that govern Britain's naval policy. ***************

WHAT should be the size of a battleship? It is reported that the United States has recently turned its if she chooses, if she will be paid back on the suggestion to build leviathans of 70,000 to and if the transport can be creat- 80,000 tons in favour of something less cumbersome.

When dimensions of this nature are strain on munition factories is spoken of it is not surprising that But for the rest, her cupboard is bare. The Reich is isolated from ports are lost. Such is the understand what is meant by the

half of the year supplied her with war winter. With the loss of A navy must consist of many cate—vitals from enemy guns and from the defence system of our Empire; or, half her imports. We know that imports Germany has also lost gories of ships, ranging in size up—bombs from the air; under-water in other words. Britain's full-back in half her imports. We know that imports Germany has also lost wards from the armed coastal motor-protection to withstand attack from bothing was being imported which markets. Nearly half her export boat and mine-sweeping trawler; torpedo or mine; and as high a could possibly be 'produced in trade was done with Britain and submarines; escort vessels; torpedo-

of the fleet to-day. The main points In Nelson's day such a ship was



Vice - Admiral Harper, who entered the Navy in 1888 was for three years commander of the Royal yacht Victoria and

almed at are heavy guns, with as long a range as possible; massive side and deck armour to protect the torpedo or mine; and as high a A fleet of battleships forms a solid: speed as can then be produced.

Germany and Austria and Czocho- France and neutrals overseas. boat destroyers; cruisers, small and short which is strong the last and final word—our sure large; and aircraft carriers, to mention overseas imports. The Reich is now unable to expert the only a few.

Were absolute necessities of the through neutral countries or in A battleship is the strongest unit.

But In This Case It Is: A Target That Can Hit Back!

called a "ship of the line," a terma which has now given place to-"capital" ship.

Guarding Empiro's Food

IT will be seen, therefore, that theterm "capital ship" is not necessarily synonymous with battleship. At the moment it is; but if battleships, as we know them, were abolished, the-next most powerful unit would automatically become the capital ship, or-

ship of the line. A nation such as ours, dependent: for its very existence on the sea, must maintain a navy capable of defending the seas. Geographically situated as we are, with parts of the Empire joined not by land, but by sea highways; with millions who live in the heart of the Empire—Britain—. dependent on imported food to savethem from starvation, our naval needs. are for and away above those of a

self-supporting continental nation. But must this navy of ours contain: battleships? Are these powerful, but. expensive, leviathans really necessary? Should we put so many eggs,

into one basket? There is only one answer. Yes. The battleship is the king-pin of l'ampart of scapower, and acts as n.

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Treasury To Control Securities

Important Move Is Announced

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) -The Treasury have announced an order transferring to them-selves all holdings by United Kingdom residents in 60 specified securities marketable in New York.

Holders will be re-imbursed in sterling at the current New York price of currency and the official exchange rate plus accrued interest to March 4.

It is recalled that arrangements were made on the outbreak of war for registration with the Bank of England of all United Kingdom heldings of United States securities, and the present step aims at vesting a certain number of these securities in the British Treasury. Not To Force Sales

realisation of these securities in the American market is orderly, and that the total volume of such sales from the United Kingdom, vested and noninvested, should continue over a period of time at about the average

The reason for this is to ensure that

of recent months. In addition to the present 60 securitles, further vesting orders may be issued from time to time. "Reuter" learns that there is no

desire to force sales. The list represents preliminary mobilisation of certain securities with an active market. In no case do the securitles re-

quisitioned form a big proportion of the total outstanding securities of the companies doncerned.

Procautionary Stop It is believed that the recent un-

certainty has been worse for the United States market than the knowledge now given that the British Treasury has a definite long range Only a small proportion of the total securities available are now re-

quisitioned and the present list ex-cludes several important market counters. The step in no way indicates an actual or impending exchange shortage, but is a precautionary step taken well in advance of any necessity.

Will Not Weaken Market If private sales continue at the recent volume, there may be no need for official sales, though doubtless the opportunities of profitable marketing will be taken.

Regulsitioning will probably have the effect of reducing sales. It is pointed out that the British authorities obviously desire to obtain the best price possible and will not operate so as to weaken the market.

Idle Ships

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" sale of eight idle trans-Atlantic ships of Antwerp, has been announced by the American owners. The sale price is reported to be

US\$4.000,000. Harding, American Trader, American Traveller, American Banker, American Framer, American Importer, numerical superiority. American Merchant and American

vessels, will still maintain a minority predictions were not fulfilled. interest in them as a share-holder in the Belgian company.

NO DIFFERENCE Naziism And Communism Speak

As One

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The "Washington Post" on Saturday sald: "Anti-Communism has proved merely a cloak without basic meaning or substance. Indeed to-day there is extremely little to distinguish Nazi Germany and Communist Russia, which are like two peas in a pod. It is no longer Communism but Capital- ed. ism which the Nazis regard as the real enemy.

as one voice in the realm of ideology." tions.

Gland Discovery

Bufferers from loss of vigour, nervous-ness, weak body, impure blood, falling memory, and who are old and wor-out before their time will be delighted to learn of a new gland discovery by an American

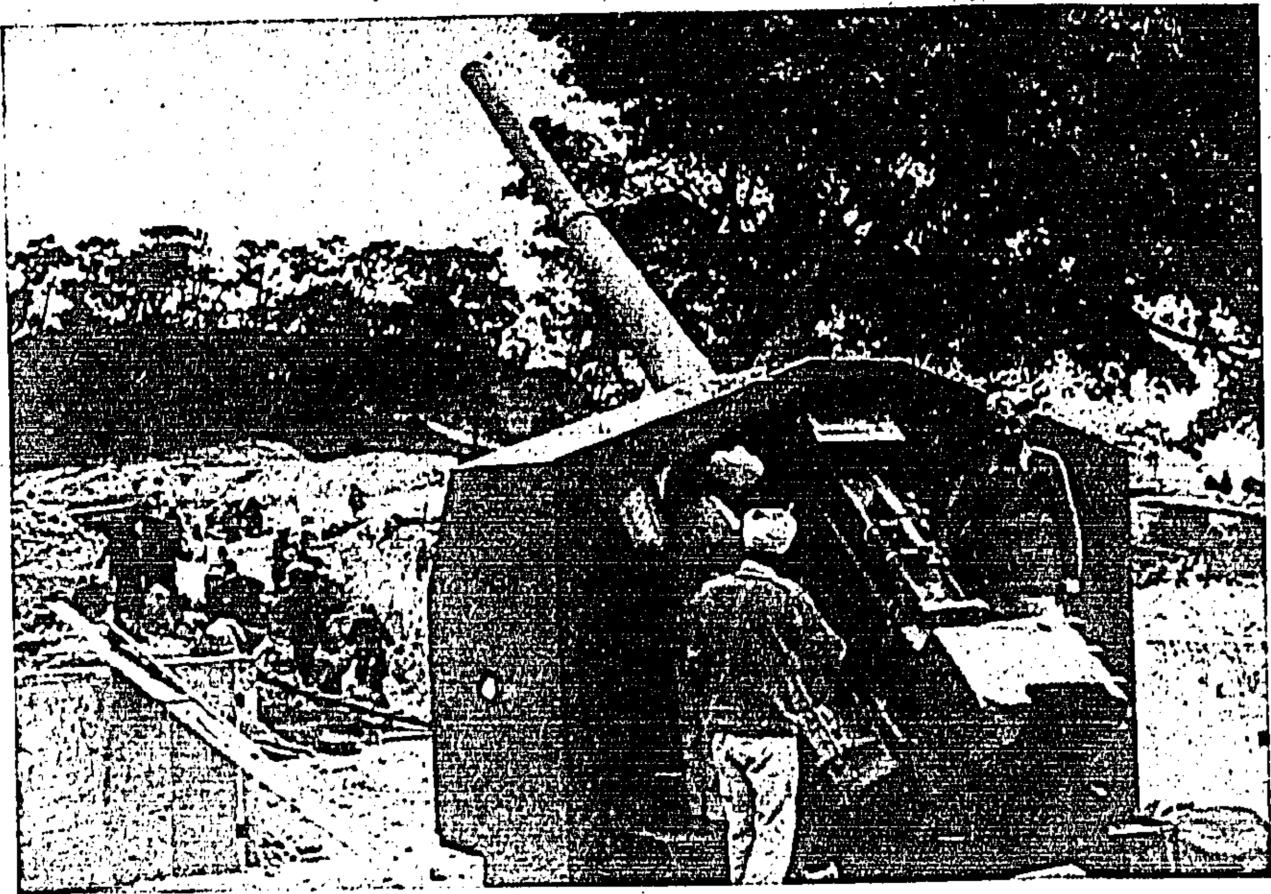
quickly and easily restore vigour to your glands and body, to build rich, pure blood, to strengthen your mind and memory and feet like a new man in only 8 days. In fact, this discovery which is a home medicine in pleasant, exay-to-take tablet form, does away with gland operations and begins to build new vigour and energy in 24 hours, yet it is absolutely harmless and natural in

The success of this amazing discovery, called Vi-Tabe has been so great in America, that it is now being distributed by all themists here under a guarantee of complete satisfaction or money back. In other words, Vi-Tabe must make you feel full of vigour and energy and from 10 to 20 years younger, or you merely return the empty package and set your money back, A special, double-airsngth bottle of 48 Vi-Tabe costs little and the guarantee protects.

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The land.

HONGKONG PREPARES: further photo-

series, specially taken by Norman Soong, of Hongkong's defence preparations. These photographs will appear daily in the "Telegraph".



AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN in a newly-completed position in Hongkong. It is one of many such units installed during the past year. Expansion continues.

Fits Crime

Stiff Sentences For

Tree Vandals

Tang had previous convictions.

Police Difficulties

In sentencing defendants, Mr. Houston remarked that if people like

Less heavy penalties were imposed

NAZI REQUEST

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

a German application for permission

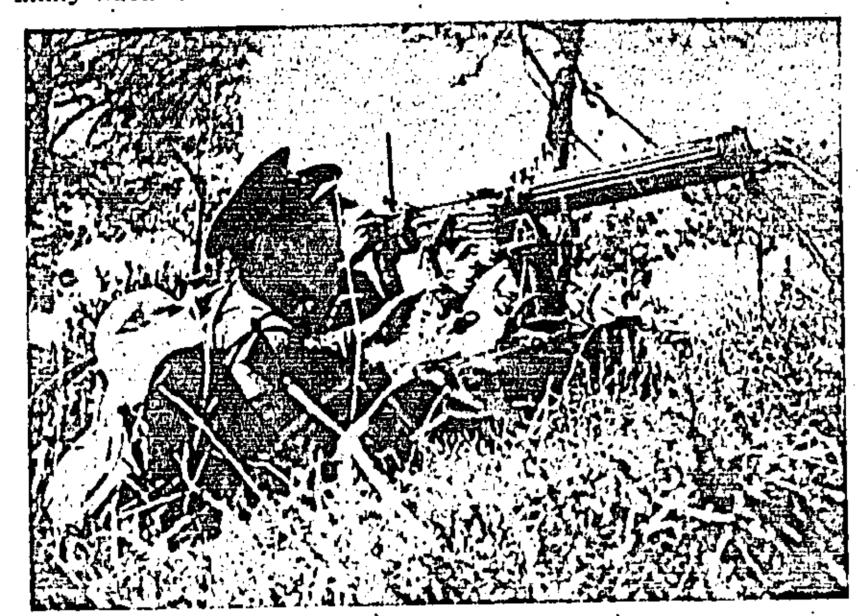
German Vessel.

to send thirty German sailors to

BOGOTA, Feb. 18 (UP) .- The

soon be denuded of trees.

as a destitute.



A MACHINE-GUN CREW in action somewhere in Hong-

MOSCOW, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—A feeling is growing spring will enable the Russians to NEW YORK, Feb. 18 (UP).—The among the public here that the Red Army will over-run

to the Societe Maritime Anversoise, Finland within a few weeks. This confidence is based partly on official communiques, partly on stories from soldiers return-The vessels include the President ing from the front, and partly on appreciation of Russia's vast

Though the authorities probably share this optimism, they are not The U. S. Line, which owned the volcing it, possibly because earlier

Soviets Claim Successes

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" MOSCOW, Feb. 17. (Domei).—The ling. Leningrad Command announced that Peak, Shaukiwan and Aberdeen dis- were destroyed. the Finnish forces in the Karelian tricts.

towards Viborg and the area east of Mount Nicholson. Another man, Ho be difficult to penetrate, even in assurances that similar disturbances Viborg. During the offensive, the Ping, 38, unemployed, charged with Soviet forces have occupied many the theft of one pine tree worth \$50, villages in the Summa sector and in was sentenced to three months' hard front in the far north, Soviet losses attempted to settle the incident by western Karelia, two cities on the labour and expelled from the Colony have been tremendous in proportion (offering 95 yuan payment to the cafe coast and a railway station. Soviet troops on the Kurleian front

are now pursuing Finns along the entire front, the communique claim-No striking activity was seen in

other fronts. Soviet aircraft cooperated with their ground forces and "Germany and Russia now speak bombed the Finnish troops and posi-

> Finnish Communique HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). To-day's communique announces to the police station, he went back war. Gulf of Finland and Vuoksen.

Except for local 'skirmishes' and vigorous air activity, the day passed them away during his absence. Many tanks were destroyed. In the Suvanto district and at Tal- them were allowed to roam freely pale, there was the usual artillery about the Colony, Hongkong would

Strong Points Captured On the north-east coast of Lake on the remaining defendants. Many Ladoga, Flanish forces repelled enemy were expelled from the Colony as attacks and captured some strong destitutes. points. They look eight guns, destroyed three lanks and about 70 convoy vehicles, and left 570 dead. In the Kuhmo sector there were

Air Raid Slaughtor HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Forty were killed in a Soviet raid Government of Colombia has refused on one Finnish town on Saturday.

skirmishes in which the enemy lost

costermonger comedian, Gus Elen, has

FIRE BIG **FORESTS** By HUBERT UEXKUELL

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Balow wa publish

(UP).—Finnish military authorities, to-day studied possi- were one or two factories. In one bilities of setting fire to the thick food for human consumption was beforests on the Eastern Frontier ing prepared. to repulse the Red Army.

ing thousands of men against the Mannerheim Line, attempting to slice the country in two sections and to penetrate Finnish defences in the north for two months, are in about the same positions as when they made their first rush across the border early in December. They hold considerably less of Finland than they did four weeks ago.

greatest "ally"-the weather will soon be gone and new methods of defence will have to be ready.

The longer and warmer days of attack day and night, on the ground and in the air, while Finnish superiority on skils and with snow camouflage will mean little. Punishment

Cossacks To Fight? There are reports that the Soviets plan to put tens of thousands of mounted Cossacks in the field with

The most discussed plan calls for burning vast stretches of timber on the Eastern Frontier to confront The "Tairiku Shimpo" reports attacking Russians with a great wall that the Japanese Consulate of fire in crucial battles. These fires A further batch of wood thieves would be set only at strategic points were charged with theft and posses and at moments when there appeared sion of wood before Mr. Houston at to be no other defence, because the the Central Magistracy this morn-Russians could use "feint" manoeuvres ing. They were arrested in the and let the woods burn until they

> to the number of troops they have through the Municipal Police. thrown into the battle and the number of Finns.

difficulty in arresting defendants, questioned superiority but it is not owing to look-outs placed by these as great. The Finns attribute this cafe.

A fight ensued in which one soldier thieves at various vantage points. gradual change to their constantly On Saturday, he spent two hours improving aerial defences and the was injured and taken to hospital. trailing the men before catching arrival of planes and volunteer pilots them. In the area where they were from abroad.

Isthmus has weakened between the had been left, but found they had planes on pontoons, instead of skils, the north which are big enough for disappeared. Apparently wood- when the snow and ice melts. How- planes with wheels. cutters who had escaped arrest took

CLEARING OUT THE SQUATTERS

Urban Council Acts Swiftly In K'loon

AS FORECAST by the "Telegraph" on Saturday, the Urban Council has acted swiftly in its campaign against squatters, following gazettal earlier this month of wider powers under the Emergency Regulations, which now permit eviction of persons from unauthorised Crown Land.

Swooping suddenly on the Kowloon City area bounded by Grampian Road and Lion Hill Road, Urban Council officers, assisted by Police, took possession of several hundred buildings this morning.

About four thousand people were evicted during the course of the morning and P.W.D. coolies immediately commenced work on destroying the buildings.

Camp Offer Rejected

"Alternative accommodation at the Kam Tin refugee camp in the New Territories was offered to all those who were dispossessed but, at 11 a.m., few had accepted the offer. Most of the people desire to remain In the urban areas. Amnzing scenes were witnessed us

the P.W.D. coolies commenced to tear down the buildings. Many of the ejected occupants re-turned to aid in the work of destruc-

tion, in order to salvage the wood and tin which had comprised their former homes. Grampian Road was piled high with their belongings.

Philosophical

A "Telegraph" reporter could see no visible signs of distress among the dispossessed people who, fore-warned a fortnight ago, accepted their situation philosophically.

CORRESPONDENT)

WITH THE FINNISH
NORTHERN ARMIES, Feb. 18

Situation philosophically.

Conditions in the small township which Government is razing are probably the filthlest reigning in any part of the Colony. There is no sewage and sanitary conditions are

Among the buildings demollshed

Grampian Road residents have made several protests at the growth The Soviet forces, after hurlof this new refugee town on the other side of their street.

Rent Ramp Disclosed

Enquiries by a "Telegraph" re-porter this morning tend to indicate that most of the buildings now being demolished were erected by an influential Chinese, who has been charging the tenants exorbitant rentals for the privilege of living in the tenements in the area.

The buildings had all been creeted on agricultural land which, the "Telegraph" understands, was let by hey did four weeks ago.

But the Finns realise that their minal rental of five cents a lot.

SEAFORTHS IN AFFRAY

Japan To Protest In Shanghai?

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" SHANGHAI, Feb. 18 (UP).— General is planning to file a formal protest with the British Consulate regarding the alleged disorderly conduct of three Seaforth Highlanders in a Japanese owned cafeteria last Tuesday.

Tang Ping, 33, unemployed, was The Russian attack will be com- The report said the protest will as the result of the Soviet general sentenced to four months' hard plicated by the muddy condition of demand an expression of regret and offensive to-day. Setting fire to various villages, ment for the theft of two pine trees swamps which are now frozen. The of the brawl," together with payment thick woods covering the country will of compensation for damages and

It said that on Tuesday last the soldiers quarrelled with employees in Sgt. Reddish said he had much In the air, the Russians have un- the cafe over "a civil matter" after

arrested, eight large pine trees were The spring weather is not expect- ever, there is a short period in the found cut. After taking defendants ed to make much difference in aerial spring when neither pontoons nor skils are feasible because of the slushy that Russian pressure on the Karellan to the spot where some of the trees | The Finns plan to mount their ice. There are few landing places in

HERE'S A

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (UP).—Maybe this story isn't suspicious but-1.—It started with a radio 8.0.5 from the Japanese fishing trawler Kyushin Maru: . 2.—A wireless message from another fishing vessel, the Fukochi

Maru, relayed the story to-3.—Tokyo, which promptly put it on the wires to-4.—Berlin. So Berlin decided it was good propaganda and announced it over the radio from Zeesen. 5.-New York heard the story by radio and put it on the Far Eastern

And this is the story Zeesen told: "The Japanese fishing vessel Kynshin Maru, with a crew of 60 Colombia to replace Chinese members people, was stopped last Tuesday morning by a warship of unknown

of the craw of the steamer Mengo- nationality and was boarded near the Philippine Islands. "Nothing has since been heard of the Kyushin Maru." FOOTNOTE: No Tokyo newspapers or news agencies carry the The Chinese refused to sall in the

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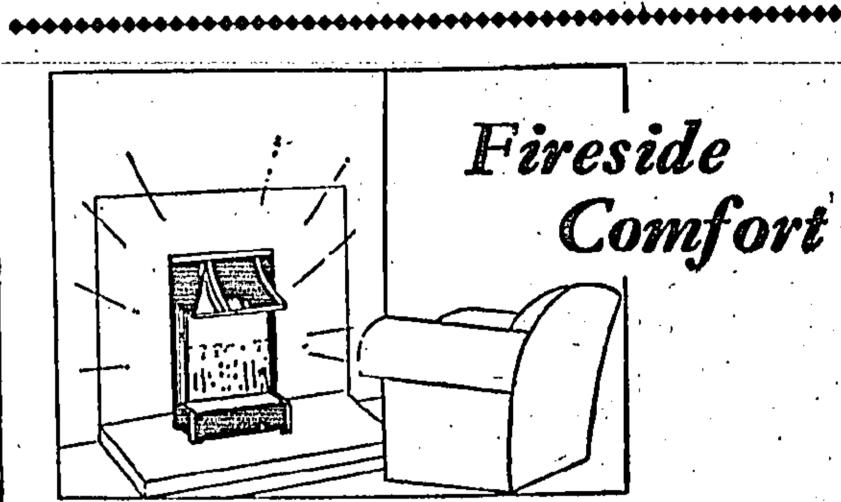
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IN TROUBLE

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Inland on February 11, disregarding

TOKYO, Feb. 18 (Domel).-Tho

BUS KILLS BOY

10 years of age was fatally injured Nyumt, of the Neptune Navigation bils in Ouem's Board down by a Company bils in Queen's Road East near willows of Company, weighted anchor off the Wellington Barracks yesterday.

police directions to wait for an in-Another Chinese, Chiu Ping-chuen, was injured in an accident in Kow-, vestigation. loon. He was knocked down in Castle Peak Road by a car, driven by Mr. Anatole Konorsky, residing

The ship appeared in the harbour of Mike in northern Kyushu on Thursday, evening.

Charged with a violation of port to police inquiries, it was ennounced.

in the Peninsula Hotel. Chiu was taken to Kowloon Hos- regulations, the ship will be subject pital with head injuries.

CHINESE COMBINED

DEFEAT FOURTH IN HONGKONG

Visitors Appear-To Lack Confidence

(By "Rex")

A MAGNIFICENT and most valiant effort was made by Saigon at Caroline Hill on Saturday by "Early Bird" in the 8. C. M. to take away with them the memory of at least Post: one victory in this port, but they were defeated by an eleven comprising players taken from the various Chinese teams in the Colony, four goals to three.

Had the sun not played tricks with their goalkeeper, Tai, the three first half goals of the local team may not have been scored, and Saigon would probably have attained their desire.

A fact, which, I daresay, has escaped most, is that in all four of their matches here, Saigon lost the toss and played against

the sun. Tai at goal for Saigon was less confident than in his previous matches. Lobs appeared to worry him considerably, and though he gave glimpses of his dushing self, these were few and

far between. second goal was chalked up against terday. holstering up the attack, and suc-

ceeded very well. making way for Bach, who played of time and, particularly in the good spoiling game at right-half. second half, rid himself of it in He dld not always have the better of Cheuk in the first half, but bottled haphazard fashion. him up completely in the second, and Kong Seng-keng and Tsang gave great support to the forwards. Chung-wan rendered a good fal as effectively as could be wished, account of themselves. Taken

a few opportunities. Ven was the best half on view for of the Police forwards seemed to Saigon. He smothered most of have upset their equilibrium.

Fung's play, and very often forced Owing to injury, Lau Shih-tsang him to play to his halves.

BEST PERFORMANCE

formance here. Besides being seng, at centre-half, to break up the more dangerous winger, he was what attack the Police had.
the one who took the most shots at Eastern's forwards too, did not goal. He had little support from seem to function in the same fashion But who appeared out of place. But passed too far in front, and when Guichard retrieved the ball he was either too spent to dribble or take a strong enough kick. Tot was a based more ball he was a strong enough kick. Tot was a based more ball he as collapse to the ball he was a strong enough kick. Tot was a strong enough kick. Tot was a strong enough kick. Tot was a strong enough kick as collapse to the spectators, between the spectators, between the spectators and miss had a second collapse. hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard worker, but had no reliance in cause of the speed and nice body hard better the following is the list of owners have shooting, and was over-fond of swerve. Lee Tack-kee played better short passing in front of goal, spoil- than for a long time. He led his and how they stand following the ing all his chances of shooting. ing all his chances of shooting.

Tien was a live-wire in front of goal, but was very often too clever. Gay-tsang, coupled with Hau Ching-like Tot he had the failing of try-ling to walk the ball into goal. Hoa and from them came most of the was again the speediest player on raids and results. view, but his ball control was in- McHardy at goal was safe only ferior to anything yet seen. He very with the high shots. He let PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Police Fail Against Eastern

His dejectedness made its influence The robust methods of the felt with Corea and Cul. Cul in Police failed to impress especial played haphazard football, and was practically useless to his Eastern, and they went on forwards, besides being almost alto score four goals, Police ways beaten by. Tang. Corea seemed the only player in the defence replying only once, in a very whose spirits refused to be damped. He, however, was guilty of some lackadaisleal play after the Hongkong Club ground yes-

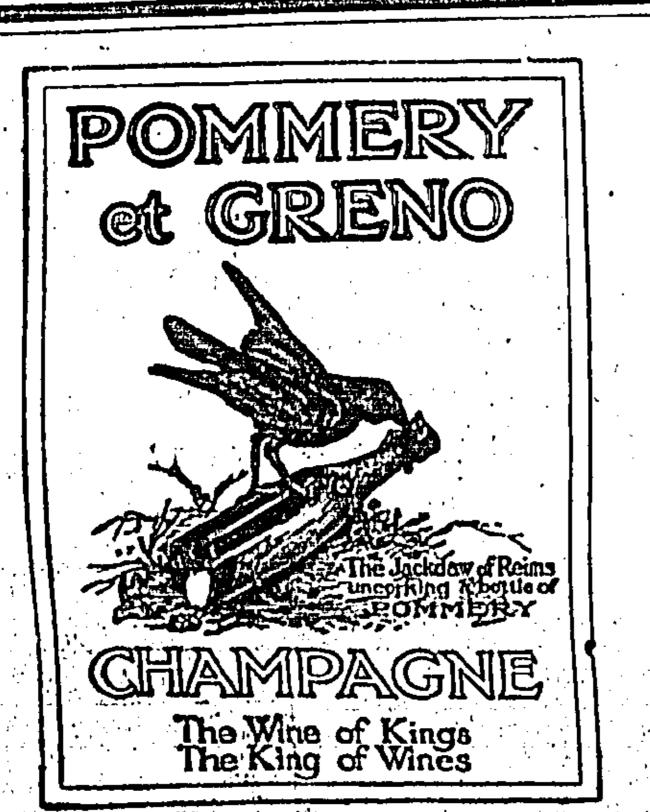
Lee Shek-yau been pitted against. The frequent blowing of him more disastrous results might the whistle wore on the have resulted. In the second half he completely ignored Lee, and con- nerves of Police, who passed

centrated his entire attention towards from one blunder to another. Lau Hin-hon did not relish But was moved up to inside-right holding the ball for any length

He allowed him a goal and quite all in all, however, they were much below form. The tactics

was unable to turn out, and was substituted by Tseng Ying-kuen, who, together with Lo Wal-kuen, gave TICHARD gave his best per- valuable assistance to Hsu King-

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Monday,

"Capt. Foster" Selects Cont. The Following:

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PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION)

LUSITANO CUP

Confusion Bay

Sea Jay Melody Star

Contact

Racylight

Possible

Muskeleer

Celtle Star

Rose Evelyn

Navylight

Eve of Harvest

BRAT

SELECTIONS BY "EARLY BIRD"

FOOCHOW CUP Confusion Bay Novylight Eve of Harvest

PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION)

Ascot Day, Contact . Sen Jay .

LUSITANO CUP Rucylight White Diamond

Marber's Elect GARRISON CUP

Rose Evelyn Celtic Star

Muskeleer : KARA KARA HANDICAP Murray River, Macquarle River

> AMOY HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

King's Warden

Humdrum Eve MELBOURNE CUP

Lucky Lad A Grand Time

Baffin Bay HONGKONG DERBY

Satinlight Burford Craigavad

> AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Oak Bay Jennifer Potentate

WAKQOL HANDICAP

Amber II Violet Queen Strathearrick

> PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION)

Lucky Lady Sparrow

DAILY DOUBLE Lucky Lad /Oak Bay

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EDITOR T++++++++++++

"Rex" on Saturday with interest, and must agree that the position needs clarifying. May I suggest that the following interpretation of Law 12 could, with advantage, be copied out and hung in all dressing rooms of players: Play the Ball all the time.

will be penalised.

British Army French

LISLES, Feb. 18 (Reuter).-The British Army football XI beat the French Army XI by 2-1 to-day in the third match of the series, and have thus won the "rubber."

TO-DAY'S DERBY WINNER?



Batiniight (R. B. Moller up) being led in by Mrs. V. V. Needs and Mrs. Johannessen after winning the Trial Plate in effortiess fashion on Baturday. Mr. Eric Molier, the proud owner, is walking alongside. The pony's performance gained for her considerable backing for the Derby to-day,-

SELECTIONS BY "LAST QUARTER"

The following selections were made by "Last Quarter" in the Hongkong Daily Press:

GARRISON CUP

KARA KARA HANDICAP

AMOY HANDICAP

MELBOURNE CUP

HONGKONG DERBY

AMOY HANDICAP

(SECOND SECTION)

WAKOOL HANDICAP

PERTH PLATE

(SECOND SECTION)

DAILY DOUBLE

LEADING

JOCKEYS

The following is the list of jockeys

and how they stand after Saturday's

R. B. Moller 3 -

P. Y. T. Wel 2 3

D. Black 1

B. L. Tao 1

H. J. A. Hearne ... 1

C. Encarnacao 1 H. C. Pih 1 V. V. Needa -

B. A. Proulx -

G. P. Gram -

W. H. Davies -S. C. Linng -

Lt. B. Chao -Ip Kul-ying -

S. W. Pan -

(FIRST SECTION)

FOOCHOW CUP

Confusion Bay Navylight Eve of Harvest

Dupont Bay

Rose Evelyn

Twilight Star

Humdrum Eve

Dick Turpin.

Muskeleer

Brutus

Lilliber

Galaxy

Baffin Bay

Lucky Lad

Burford

Jober

. Satinlight

Spicylight

Lancashire Lad

Peaceful View

Violet Queen

Macquarie River

Many Thanks

Baffin Bay/Jober

Poconos

Viceroy

Albury

A Grand Time

Celtic Star

White Diamond PERTH PLATE GARRISON CUP (FIRST SECTION)

> Sea Jay Ascot Day Contact

KARA KARA HANDICAP LUSITANO CUP Racylight Possible

Strathcarrick Brutus Discovery Bay AMOY HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) Lilliber

King's Warden Bear Claw MELBOURNE CUP

A Grand Time Lucky Lad

Winfred HONGKONG DERBY

Burford Satinlight Mount Hope Bay

AMOY HANDICAP - (SECOND SECTION)

Jennifer Rose Fiana Oak Bay

WAKOOL HANDICAP

Macquarle River Violet Queen Azico . PERTH PLATE

(SECOND SECTION) Connleber

Albury Many Thanks . DAILY DOUBLE

A Grand Time/Jennifer.

Sir,-I have read your article by

If you must charge an opponent, be sure that your charge is a fair one, and made only when you are making a definite attempt to play the ball. If the ball is not within playing distance and you charge an opponent merely to keep him off the ball, you

W. M. GLOVER.

Again Beat

ARMSTRONG-GARCIA BOUT POSTPONED ONCE MORE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18 (UP)-The State Boxing Commission have postponed the Armstrong-Garcia bout once more, and have set the date at March 1 because of a rope burn received by Garcia on his leg while training last week

Doctor W. L. Carver sald that the sore looked like a boil. Commissioners Jules, Covey, Everett and Sanders have accepted Dr. Carver's

Eddle Mend, Armstrong's manager, said, "Garcia is trying to run out or us again."

Junior Golf Championship

The semi-final of the junior cham-pionship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was played at Fanling yester

J. W. Mayhow bent W. I. Alcxander 5 and 3 and H. N. Williamson received a walk over from N K. Littleichn who scratched.

SAIGON Entries and Handicaps For To-Morrow

The following are the entries and handicaps: for the events to-morrow:

VICTORIA STAKES

12.00 noon.-Bear Claw. Blue Ex-Confusion Bay, Conquering Time, Desert Chlei, Eve of Harvest, Galaxy, Happy Eve, Hyndford Bridge, Jennifer, Jober, King's War-den, Lilliber, Navylight, Racylight, Red Feather, Rob Roy, Rose Emily.

Eve of Dancing (101), Eve of Folly (147), Wild Cat (160). Willynllly (158), Eve of Hunting (158), Eve of (150). Peace (158), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest (158), For All Time (101), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (101), Gretber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (161), Jane Doc Princess (155), Lusltania (161), Big Wedge (165), Busylight (152), Mount Hope Bay (161), Ojibway (161), O'Lan (158), Omaha (161), Ochronic (152), Cairntoul (155), Catterick Bridge (161), Despite (155), Patricia (152), Cheerful Star (155), Circe (161), Bossible (158), Despite Chemical (158), Complete (158), Complete (158)

White Diamond (158). CANBELEGO HANDICAP

(165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Claro (152), Quick Despatch (155), (155), Centre Court (155), Happy Radon (155), Sapper (155), Sea Jay Landings (152), King's Privilege (155), Sapper (155), Sea Jay (152), Murrumbidgee (135), National Victory (140), Rising Star (155), Warrego River (152), Winnie (135), Sydney Lad (155), Victory (155). Day (152).

ROYAL NAVY CUP

keteer (157), Smiling Thru (161), shire Chap (148), Matador (161), Strathbannock (168), Tiny Tim Meteor (145), Phoenix (152), Popu-(155) Tribute (161).

> ALBURY STAKES (FIRST SECTION)

3.00 p.m.—A Green Time (152), (140). Alfber (155), Australian Diamond (155), Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152), Calrntoul (155), Cheerful Star Viceroy (155), Winnie (155).

KILLARA HANDICAP

(155), Centre Court (155), Derby Day (155), Happy Landings (152), Murrum-bidgee (135), Pumpernickel (152), PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Star (135), Rooifly (152), River (149), Sydney Lad

CHEEFOO HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) 4.00 p.m.—Bistre (160), Chatterbox (155), Dekko (146), Double Chance (146), Estover (146), Gold Coin CHATER CUP

12.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (101), Attacking Time (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Eurford (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber (161), Clember (161), Common View (161), Craignad (161), Dingo (158), Distinctive Time (161), Dupont Bay (161), Eve of Dancing (161), Eve of Folly (147), Wild Cat (160), Willynilly

> ROOTY HILL DERBY AND SPORTS CLUB CUP

4.30 p.m.-A Good Time (152), A (161), Johnber (158), Lauraber Green Time (152), Alfber (155), (161), Leading Time (161), Little Ainleus Curlae (155), Ascot Day (101), Possible (158), Prince Charm- (155), Connieber (152), Contact ing (161), Racylight (161), Resisting (152), Fair Chance (155), Far View Time (158), Ronson (158), Rose (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch-Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), man (152), Forehand Drive (152), Royber (161), Satinlight (161), Franklin (155), Grand Allegiance Silver Wings (161), Smashing (152), Income Tax (155), Jungle Through (161), Spicylight (161). Princess (152), King's Caprice (155), Kitti (152), Lucky Lady (155), Many. Thanks (155), Maple Star (152), Melody Star (155), Mint Julep (152). 1.00 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella Nancy Lee (152), Perola d'Oriente (155), A Rogging Time (153), Atlant (152), Powerful Kid (155), Princess

> CHEEFOO HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

5.00 p.m.-Ascot Vale (168), Bres-1.30 p.m. — Celtie Star (165), suy (158), Desert Star (168), Ebony Clowner (155), Double Chance (168), Idol (148), Emergency Call (140), February Fourth (158), Guinness February Fourth (155), Fel Ying Time (163), King Kong (168), Mus- (140), Good Morning (168), Lanca- (167), Emiling Theorem (161). lar Star (145), Portrush (165), Radium Star (143), Starlet (140), Sunshine Susie (148), Talkative (163), Tiny Tim (148), Wild Bear

RACING STAKES

5.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (161), (155), Circe (155), Fair Chance Attacking Time (158), Blue Skles (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch- (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Burford man (152), Franklin (155), Grand (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber Allegiance (152), Income Tax (155), (161), Clember (161), Craigavad King's Caprice (155), Many Thanks (161), Distinctive Time (161), Du-(155), Maple Star (152), Perola d'Oriente (152), Quick Despatch (161), Eve of Folly (158), Eve of (155), Radon (155), Sea Jay (155), Hunting (158), Eve of Peace (158), Shine Again (155), Sparrow (152), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest Springhurst (152), Vanity Fair (155), (158); For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (161), Gret-ber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155). Hopeful Star (161), Jane Doe (161), 3.30 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella Johnber (158), Kentucky (155), (165), A Rearing Time (165), Atlas Lauraber (161), Law And Order (155), Blandford (157), Bredon (161), Leading Time (161), Little (155), Control Court (155)

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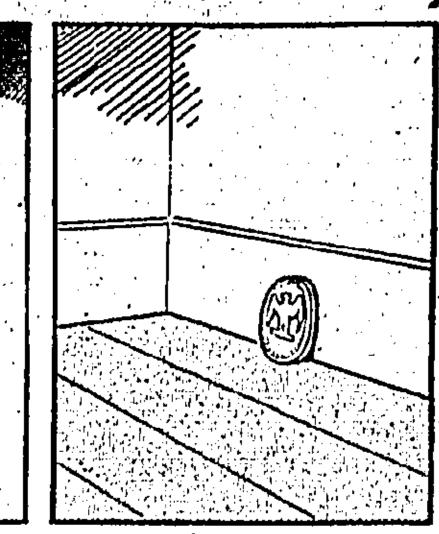
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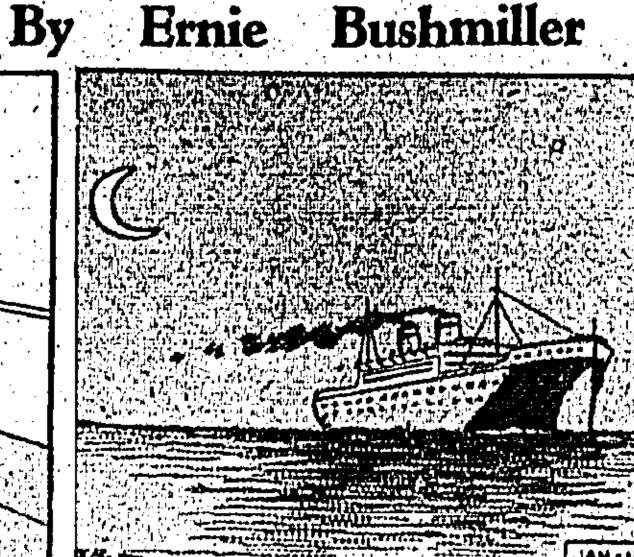
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HONGKONG TELEGRAPH



IROUNCE

Excellent Work By The Backs Carries

(By "Fly-half")

AT SOOKUNPOO on Saturday afternoon, the check himself in time to centre to boot the ball out on almost the slow but used his body to good adproperly. Army obtained a convincing win over the Police penalty goal) through superior work behind the scrum. The Force missed Luscombe badly at the base of the scrum where Morrison, really a wing-forward. after some wild passing appeared to appeared to the some very awkward moments. forward, after some wild passing appeared to some very awkward moments.

Hau Yung-sang was superb at prefer touch kicking when in possession.

Another notable absentee for Police was Searle, hard-working forward. Fay was much below form at strongly and in great style with both ordeal shaken, but with flying football.

stand off half, and was to easily beaten by Waite, who his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. He cleared several times coming through the never approached above mediocre football. stand off half, and was to easily beaten by Waite, who to the wrong man. Lee Tin-sang send a long pass to Fung who nedded evaded his high tackles with ease.

line-outs, and Innes in the loose.

opposites time to crowd him out.

sides hooking well, was to the fore

in line-ups and in the loose, especial-

IN A FEATURELESS GAME on

Saturday a Navy XV drew with Club

"A", sixteen points each, by two

packed short, Navy having only six

Mucrae. Heaseman and Hynes set

pack, which had the better of things

valuable openings. - Club's backs

Marshall and D. Hynes scored tries

won by Navy, Club staged a come- Mirray-Jones.

ly in foot rushes.

ARMY SUBSTITUTES

SPORT ADVTS.

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will be run at 2.00 p.m. The tiffin interval will be after the fourth race on the first four days of the Meeting. MEMBERS' BADGES AND

ENCLOSURES Members are reminded that they

closure will NOT be on sale at the Navy "A" 16 Club "A" 16 Race Course.

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, EXCHANGE BUILDING, (Tel. 27784) WILL CLOSE AT 10.00 a.m. ON THE FIRST FOUR DAYS, and at 12.00 NOON ON THE FIFTH DAY. A limited number of tiffins will be penalty goal and a try. Both tenms obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in

of Club, turned out for the Navy. advance from the No. 1 Boy, (Tel. 21920). a good example to a forceful Club On no pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the up forward. Carruthers was an first four days of the Meeting. No amans will be allowed on the Fifth

Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day touch kicking weak. including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

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Bookmakers, Tie Tae men, etc., good length ball to find the safe will not be permitted to operate will not be permitted to operate with a received a pipe and permitted to operate touch on every occasion. His try touch on every occasion.

Rostaurant in the Public Enclosure. of things in the set scrums. SERVANTS' PASSES:

Passes for Servants will be issued to Private Box holders ONLY on for Navy, the second being converted back and scored quick tries through Lane. Crawford. Ltd. Anderson, Meyer application to the Secretary, 1st floor, by Nicholl, before Club scored an Beattle, Aitkenhead, and Carruthers. Storage Co., Ltd., A. S. Watson & Co., Exchange Building.

Exchange Building. Exchange Building. Any persons found lottering with Turning around with a five points' Macrae.

Saigon Suffer Fourth Defeat In Hongkong

(By "Rex")

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EXCELLENT EXHIBITION

right-back. He totally eclipsed Lee THE Chinese attacked through Hsu hard to surmount. C. Pile was out—Tin-sang to give one of his finest and Leung and Tai was tested classed by the Eastern defence, and gave a nice though subdued exhibi- the ball to Chan. Pacini was in attion.

the Police three's were seldom seen in attack, whilst they were late in getting up in defence, and late in getting up in defence, and tackled badly.

In the first half, Marsh on the left wing for Army, made rings left with the second the single attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. Follows advantage of the Saigon attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. Follows advantage of the side in the second the saign attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. Follows advantage of the saign attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. Follows advantage of the saign attack alpoints and the saign attack alpoints from the kick-off to send Tang most from the field. He because the said on the field left wing for Army, made rings round Leslie, so Wilson played round Leslie, so Wilson played Wright-Nooth was prominent in a too easily tired Police pack, which the total pack to tackle hard and of injury, and allowed Saigon very than before and their efforts were rewarded when Buy dodged to the pack to tackle hard and the pack to tackle hard and of injury, and allowed Saigon very than before and their efforts were rewarded when Buy dodged the ball and headed it in. with few exceptions did no backing worry him enough at times to put clear field. Guichard ran in and the ball and headed it in. up at all. Dempsey featured in the him off his shots.

FASTEST FORWARD

land on top in the tight scrums, the Chan. Fung King-cheong was try- of the already scored goal. Army backs saw much of the ball, and generally an opening was made by Waite for his three-quarters to carry on. Birrell used his long legs proved a source of constant worry of Loung was undismayed with this so early reverse on top of the large store they had to reduce. They were fai was the same dashing centre and helped still further with the absence proved a source of constant worry of Loung was undismayed with this by Chung.

THE game deteriorated rapidly from the large street was displayed which were displayed. preferred to rely on Lee. Cheuk
Easterbrook was reliable although
not troubled over much. Douglas
and Richards were active insides who wisely gave their wings the ball as and most of the work was nipped in from seven yards out. often as possible. Sutherland, be- the bud.

TAI TESTED in the loose. Miliar was prominent THE Chinese were pressing almost other, and their final goal. I from the whistle and Tai was Tot received from a clearance by allowed after consultation with the tested several times before Tien was Pacini to tap to Tien who dribbled

often over-ran the ball or could not; but in a sudden spurt Hau managed little scope. North was at times too

tunity of opening for Saigon soon Cheung who later desisted from go-

With their halves out of gear, Taylor against him in the second the Saigon attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. | goal, Eastern took advantage of the Police through were golden period and although the big

beat Cheung with an unstoppable shot from close in.

THE ARMY were without Ridsdale and Coombe, who were substituted by Ford and Marsh. With Suther-

and Richards were active insides who not a good partner in Lee Shek-yau, and beat Cheung with a hard drive Hsu managed a pass to Hau, and the Saigon were making superhuman

Eastern Beat Police 4-1

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past at least two goals which should have been saved. Blackburn was the better of the two backs, clearing cleanly and strongly. Chan Kong-ylu was too slow and was always beaten to the ball by Chung.

STEADY DEFENDER COUGH stood head and shoulders above both North, on the right, and Brooks, on the left. He covered Lee very well, and allowed him Guichard wasted a golden oppor- Brooks seldom had the better of

weak in shooting. Ferrier was the more constructive, but found the entire Eastern defence an obstacle

TEN MEN START

MICHARDY was late in coming in, Eastern attacked through Chung

who passed the ball backwards to TANG Kwong-sum was the fastest Lee had a tussle with Bach whom he pletely by surprise, equalised for forward for the Chinese and got

in to put Eastern ahead from a pass

corry on. Birrell used his long legs to advantage on the wing, as also did to the Saigon defence. He realised had to leave the field. They pressed for offside, but Eastern made the he was being well marked, and inclined to hesitate before getting into action, and as a result gave his opposites time to crowd him out.

latter took it well up to send in a nice daisy cutter which struck efforts and were rewarded with an- McHardy's boot and was deflected into the net. This goal was dis-

Eastern added to their score of three goals when Wu broke through and beat McHardy with a wellplaced shot from close in. Eastern.—Lau Hin-hon; Kong Seng-keng, Tsang Chung-wan; Lo Wal-kuen, Hsu King-seng, Tseng Ying-kuen; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hol, Leo Tak-kee, Wu Gay-tsang and Hau Ching-to. Police.—McHardy; Blackburn, Chan Kong-yiu; North, Gough, Brooks; Wong Chi-man, Howlett, Wong Man-kwal, Ferrier and Plie.

ENTRIES AND HANDICAPS (Continued from Page 8.)

(181), O-Lan (158), Osage (155), Patricia (161), Prince Charming (161), Racylight (161), Resisting Time (158), Ronson (158); Rose Charming (161), Rose Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (101), Royber (161), Silver Wings (101), Smashing Diamond (158), Xenophon (161). **ALBURY STAKES**

(SECOND SECTION) 6 p.m. - A Good' Time (152). Albury (155), Amicus Curine (155), PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day ublic Enclosure is \$2.00 per day necluding tax for all persons including tax for all persons t THE NAVY full-back, Sig. Briercy. was very nippy and kicked n

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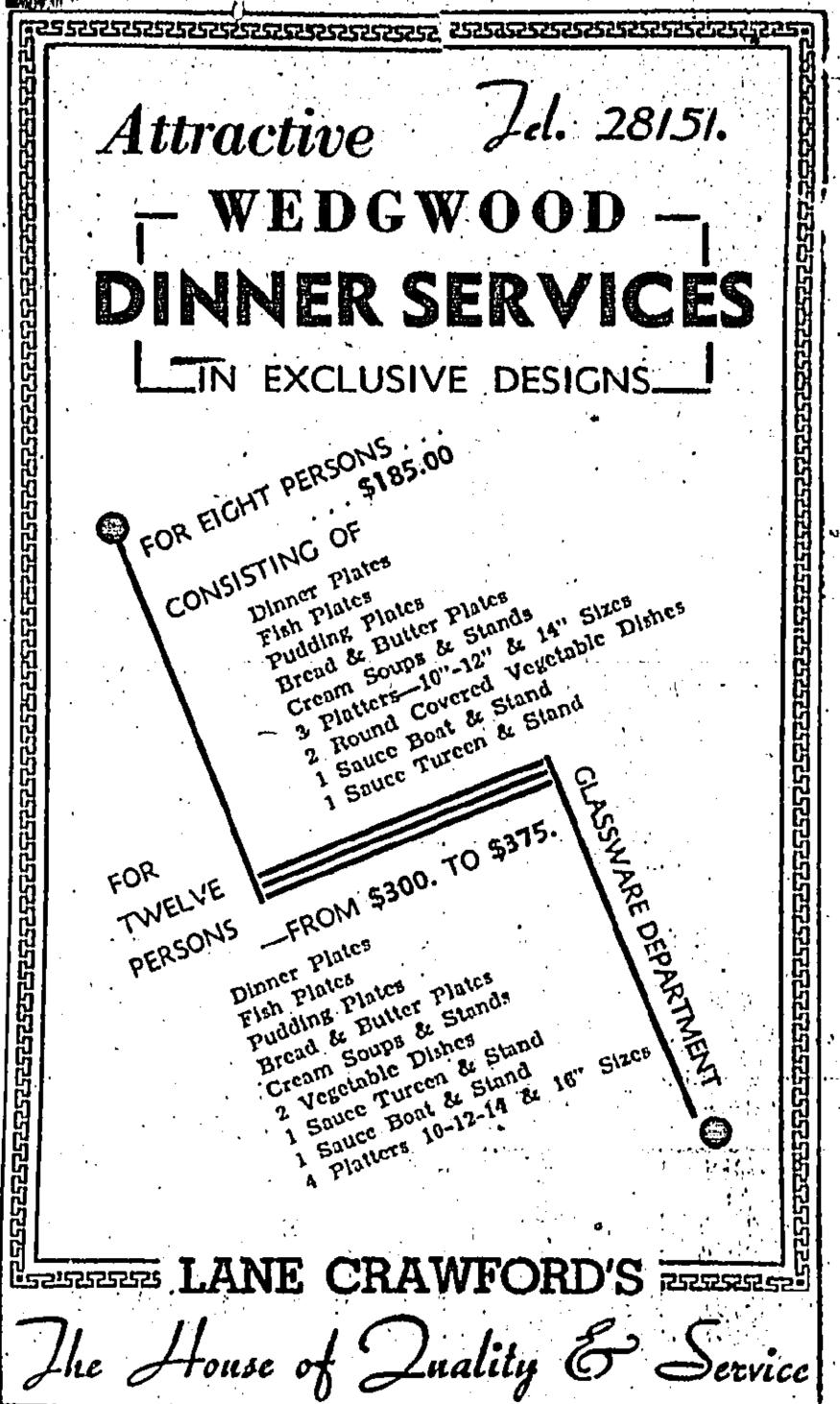
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C. B. BROWN,

Secretary,

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goals and two tries to two goals, a DEFEATING T. C. Monaghan and Miss M. Griffiths forwards and Club seven. D. Hynes, 4-2 in the final, Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. Litton yesterday won the American mixed doubles tennis tournament on the Through (161), Victoria (161), White Hongkong Cricket Club courts in aid of the British War Organisation Fund. Fifty-six pairs participated and the enterprising stand-off half, who made tournament was divided into five sections.

blue section, met Lee Wai-tong PRIZES DISTRIBUTED.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the the wing, received few opportunities, and Mrs. C. H. R. Hyde, winners of bottles of liqueur.

A hefty Navy pack had the better green section, in the semi-final 4-3, bottles of liqueur. green section, in the semi-limit and The Entertainment Committee of the In the bottom half of the draw Ho British War Organisation Fund acknow-Kn-lnu and Mrs. Litton, making lodge prizes and donations from John D.

B. O'M. Deane and Miss | their first appearance in the tourna-

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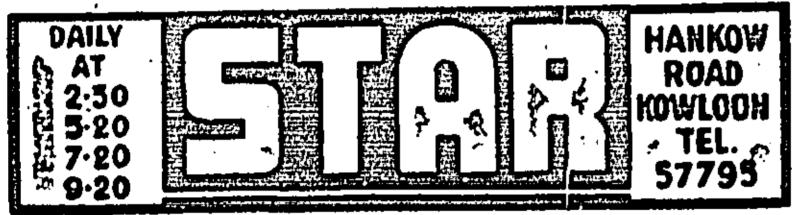
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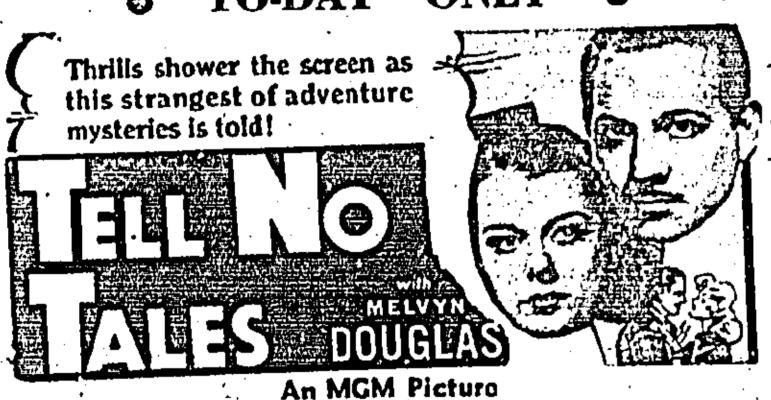
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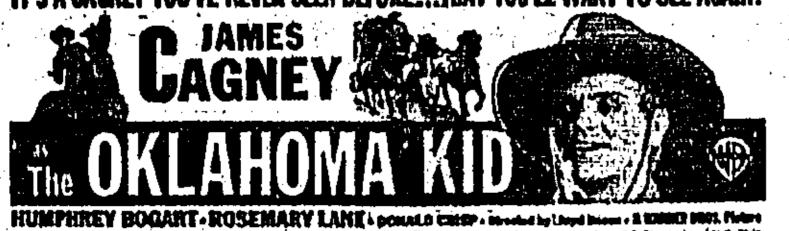
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CHINESE NANNING

Troops Re-enter City, Claim

While official confirmation of the complete recapture of Nanning is still being withheld, says a "Central News" message from Kweilin this morning, private telegrams state that Chinese Forces re-entered the city on the evening of February 16.

I.R.A. demonstrations caused to describe the considerable excitement in Belfast to-day, when six members of the Club Lusitano sented by Members of the Club Lusitano

forces which left the burning city and Richards the two I.R.A., over the week-end are now consiang waiting to be transferred to executed. warships.

The Chinese claim that the Japanspecial powers given in Uister to take accumulative. Entrance \$10. One makes anywhere during 1930, of one races, 3 lb.; of two races, 5 lb.; of three or more races, 7 lb.; at this Meeting, 3 lb.; pennity. Jockey Allowance, Penalties accumulative. Entrance \$10. One mile. ese retreat is in the nature of a rout, action in banning protest demonstra-Large numbers of dead and wounded tions. have been abandoned on the roadside which is littered with an endless line of wrecked lorries and trucks. Increasing naval activities have several were injured by police batons. been seen outside the Loongmoon Harbour, scores of Japanese transports being rushed away with capa-

chase to the retreating Japanese.

northern part of the province. More night. than 100 Japanese' were killed in a

ese success. Heavy casualties have also been inflicted on the retreating Japanese in West Sulyuan by pursuing Chin- their advances near Changchin in

A fleeing Japanese unit was at-again been defeated with severe tacked at the Yellow River and as losses. ese troops.

RIOTS BELFAST

Up A House

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BELFAST, Feb. 18 (UP).--I.R.A. demonstrations caused

to draw their blinds as a Tang's POSSIBLE 158 lb. (Tang Man-wa) 2 It is stated that the main Japanese sign, of mourning for Barton Diamonds' WHITE DIAMOND 158 lb... (H. C. Pih) 3 centrated at Yamchow and Fong-terrorists who had been

Along their attenuated line of retreat, they are being attacked and decimated by concerted Chinese issued this morning by the Northern lissued this club of any Season. Weight for inches as per scale.

A similar ban last Sunday resulted in rioting in the course of which Eu Tong-gen's ROSE EVELYN 165 lb. ..

CAR MOUNTS PAVEMENT

the Watkiang River to give relentless Mr. A. C. Kella, of 30, Mody Road, mounted the pavement in Mody Road G. Treverton's BRUTUS 158 lb. Kiangsi Operations
In Kiangsi, Chinese forces have recaptured Mienling, a strategic height south-west of Fenghsin in the height south-west of Fenghsin in the height.

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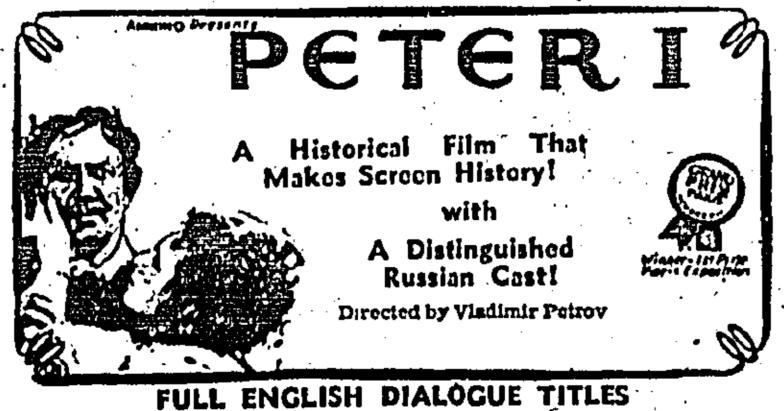
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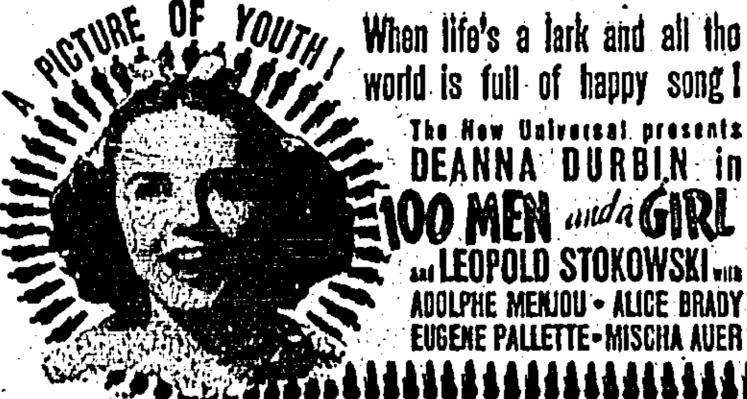
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Won by six lengths; half a length. Time.—1.46.2.

Won by four lengths; two lengths.

Time.—1:4.3 (Record).

Parl-mutuel.—\$0. Places \$5.30; \$0.30; \$0.4.—1.30 P.M.—GARRISON CUP.—Pre-

(C. Encarnacao) 3

Salvage Master also ran. Won by four lengths; two lengths. Time.—2.02. Pari-mutuel. - Winner \$11.00. Places city loads.

Chinese troops near Nanning are now conducting mopping-up operations. Strong forces have crossed tions. Strong forces have crossed to a conduction of the vehicle, a car driven by the conduction of the vehicle of the vehicle of the vehicle of the conduction of the vehicle of

Eight Starters.
Won by five lengths.
Time.—2.10. Pari-mutuel.—Winner \$18.50. Places \$7.70; \$9.50; \$8.20.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Meeting Of Queen's College Old Boys

The annual general meeting of Queen's College Old Boys' Association was held on February 15 at the Chinese Club when the Secretary's report and the Treasurer's statement of accounts were considered and

The following office-bearers were elected for the year 1940.—President, Mr. S. M. Churn; Vice-Presidents Mr. M. G. O'Connor and Mr. Chow Ping-un; Hon. Secretary. Mr. Leung Sik-kwan; Hon. Treasurer Mr. Leung Ping-hin. General Committee members elect-

ed were Messrs. Lo Cheung-ip, H. K. Woo, C. G. Anderson, Wei Tat, Cheong Wai-fung, Lo Tung-fan, Mak Cheuk-hon, Hung Mo-chiu, Ho Hungchung, Man Hung-cho, Ng Chingting, Kwok Hee-leung, Leung Slu-chun and Queen's College Head

Mr. Leung Ip-wing was re-elected Ion. Auditor. Anderson were elected honorary nembers, thus bringing the number of honorary members of the Q.C.O.B.A. to ten.

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MAN-POWER Sweden Takes MOBILISED

Britain To Commence Supreme Effort SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP).— Messrs. F. J. de Rome and C. G. The British Government will -Sweden is taking no chances shortly announce details of a as a result of the dark hints far-reaching mobilisation of the thrown out by Germany conman-power of the United King- sequent upon the popular

This mobilisation, which is in con- to the Finns, nection with what is described as To-night, for the first time in histhe biggest munitions drive Britain tory, Stockholm, the Swedish capital. has undertaken, is quite distinct from was blacked out. the mobilisation for the fighting services, in which something like 1,250,- of air raid precautions. 000 men are now engaged.

The plans envisage a large-scale redistribution of industrial labour on the home front. This will make and will involve a considerable pro- additional non-skilled jobs availportion of the 1,500,000 unemployed, able. including many "hard core" or permanently jobless. It will include the distribution of women workers in munitions and

key industrial factories. ---24-Year-Olds Called withdrawn from the armed forces to meet any possible activity on the meet the shortage of skilled labour Western Front.

No Chances Stockholm Black-out

Makes History

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH". STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18 (UP). Swedish clamour to give support

This inaugurates a three-night test

Meanwhile, mobilisation of the 1918 Class—the 24 year olds—has been advanced by three weeks to

March 9. . It is expected to ensure that ample recruits will be available if the War Many skilled craftsmen may be Office decides to speed up training to

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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Feb. 19

(UP).—Germany's pro-

tests to Norway regard-

ing the Altmark inci-

dent synchronised with

the sinkings, by U-Boat

action, of two Swedish

They were the 1,646-

ton Iliani and the 1,526-

ton Osmed. Both were

sunk in the North Sea.

steamers.

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The headquarters of the Bureau of the International in Berne.

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Above, you see reproduced the information supplied by Germany regarding the Altmark. It is published in three languages English, French and German ("Bes-

chreibung der Seefunkstellen"). An explanation of the veference letter is given in the foreword to the List, which is, officially termed "List of Coast Stations and Ship the International Telecommunication

Ship's Call Sign The letters "DTAK" is the call-Bureau. Every radio station in the world has a similar call-sign. Hongkong's broadcasting station, for

instance, has been allotted "ZBW". The letters "CR" indicates that the radio station on the Altmark is not open to general public correspondence. Merchant ships are not permitted to make this reservation. The letters "HX" mean - that - the radio station on the Allmark does not observe fixed hours of service. Again, merchant ships are not permitted to make this reservation, but must observe watches at times laid down by the Berne Bureau.

Damning Admission

vessel is German. But the most damning admission crew of the Altmark. in this information supplied by Germany to the Berne Bureau, and reproduced above, are the crossed swords set opposite the ship's name. Halifax, the Foreign Secretary Spee before it was scuttled. These crossed swords indicate and the Norwegian Minister, "on board a warship or military or Mr. Colban. naval aircraft." It can be used for no other purpose.

Alleged Neglect By Husband

The excuse that a woman gave to 1,-If the Norwegian authorities Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon had found some three hundred Magistracy this morning for hawk- British prisoners abourd the Altmark ing without a licence was that her during the search at Bergen, what 'husband, a Chinese constable did not action would they have taken? support her.

The woman was Mak Mui, 40, and prisoners aboard the German ship? referring to her husband she said: "C190 is my legal husband and has innocent, why was she escorted by Norwegian warships? not given me any food."

.nlleged neglect.

Churchill.

Reprisals Nazi Expected

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Feb. 19 (UP).—Authorised Nazi quarters Stations published by the Bureau of darkly hint at reprisals against Britain's action. in, seizing its nationals from the auxiliary cruiser Altmark.

One official told me: "There is no doubt but that sign allotted to the Altmark by the Germany will retaliate. We will fight this thing out

| with the British.

QUESTIONS "Norway must also settle the matter with England. "The British Government has FOR OSLO branded itself by this attack as

aboard when they searched the Signals issued at Geneva, that the

Britain Demands

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

Altmark at Bergen.

LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP).-

The British Foreign Secretary has

2.--Would Norway have left these

3.-If the Altmark was considered

submitted the following perlinent

questions for submission to Oslo:

criminals and law-breakers. "The attack on the unarmed Altmark has caused such bitter indignation among the German people

that never before has the motto 'Gott Crew's Internment Strafe England' been so popular as it is to-day."

Fuelled Graf Spee

The Nazis still claim that the The letter "D" indicates that the Britain has formally demanded Altmark was unarmed, and claim that she was a tanker in the service of the the internment of the German German Navy for several years. Prior to the outbreak of war, they The demand was made in an claim, the Altmark carried oil from interview to-day between Lord Mexico to Germany. It is admitted that she fuelled the Admiral Graf

> It is also admitted in Berlin that the crew were armed. But, the Nazis aver, they were all civilians. Lord Halifax complained that Nor-Germany remains silent regarding way had failed to establish the fact the evidence she provided herself, in that there were British prisoners the International List of Radio Call

> > Altmark is a naval vessel, Her claim that the Altmark has |949. been engaged in the oll freightage business for several years is not borne out by Lloyd's list of ships, which PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

LT. PARKINSON COMMITTED

When Lieut, Thomas Parkinson of Mr. Macfadyen fined Mak \$1.75 4.—Why were Norwegian warships the Hongkong Volunteer Defence slaughter of a boy in Bonham Road on December 23, he was committed for trial at the March criminal ses-

> Lieut. Parkinson is alleged to have knocked down a boy while driving his car in Bonham Road. Before committing accused, Mr. Edwards asked Mr. E. H. - Williams

leged that accused was driving in such Mr. Williams replied that Lieut.

to go before a jury, and committed

DERBY DAY AT HAPPY VALLEY

Big Crowd Gathers To Watch Classic

THE VALLEY was Hongkong from eleven o'clock this morning, when the second day of the Annual CRITICAL. Race Meeting and 1940 Season opened in overcast Soviet forces.

The track was again fast, noteworthily brilliant.

An unhappy mishap occurred TERRIFIC LOSSES lin the Perth Plate, the second race on the card, when Marber's chestnut, Alfber stumbled and threw his rider.

The pony, an Australian, broke its shoulder and fore-leg and had to be destroyed.

The jockey, G. P. Gram, escaped with a snaking. . The Moller stable still continued in winning vein, but Navylight proved during the past 24 hours. Foochow Cup, when D. Black brought his famous mount from the Dunbar stable home an casy winner

His Excellency the Governor arrived at the race-course shortly after 1 p.m. and witnessed Musketeer win the last race before the timn adjourn-

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THE LUCKY NUMBERS

Cash Sweep Winners At The Valley

The following lucky numbers ame up at the Valley to-day.

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Unplaced ponies (\$50) each): Nos. and advised her to apply to the con-stationed in the vicinity when Corps, again appeared before Mr. R. 4344, 378, 3939, 242, 397, 741. 1018, stable's superiors concerning her British destroyers arrived on the Edwards at the Central Magistracy 2736, 4345, 3049, 3861, 2879, 3121. 831, this morning charged with the man- 2561, 1189, 2064,

> the Crown Prosecutor, at what precise point in the Crown's case was it al-

Rack for his personal enrichment up without keeping any lookout what-

Lieut., Parkinson accordingly. He asked Mr. Leo D'Almada, jun., who is defending accused, whether he wished his client to give evidence,

The Magistrate then cautioned accused and asked if he wished to

Finns Admit 6 Wiles Penetrations

\$30.00 PER ANNUM

HELSINGFORS, FEB. 19 (DOMEI).—THE RED ARMY HAS SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THROUGH THE CENTRE OF THE MANNERHEIM LINE, FINLAND'S LAST RE-MAINING STRONGHOLD ON THE KARELIAN ISTHMUS, the magnet that attracted REPORTS REACHING THE CAPITAL INDICATE.

IT IS STATED THAT THE POSITION

Fighting is developing in favour of the overwhelming

According to field reports, the Finnish G.H.Q. has now but early racing was not ordered a general retreat.

The position of the Finns, it is stated, has become untenable as the result of the terrific losses they have sustained in the nineteen days of constant Russian pressure.

Losses on both sides have been particularly heavy on the Summa, Lake Gaola and Taipale River fronts

The Russians, because of their superiority in manpower, are more able to stand these losses.

AIR FORCE CO-OPERATES

In an attempt to disorganise the retreating Finns and to prevent them from re-forming new lines behind the Mannerheim Line, the Russians are throwing all their aerial resources into the It is feared that the Red Army may take advantage of the new situation

fing attacks are being launched flank of the retreating Finnish forces. on the Finnish positions in the Such an attack would seriously rear, causing heavy casualties. | compromise the situation in Viborg,

breaches in the Mannerheim

The Red infantry is being led by massive, divisions of Russian mechanised units.

Five Miles Penetration SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18 (Domei).-Information reaching Stockholm now indicates that the Soviet forces have penetrated the crumbling Mannerhelm Line on the Summa front.

reported to be five miles inside the Finnish lines.

to effect a landing on the southern Intensified bombing and stra-land, in order to attack the right

Soviet infantry is now stated second largest city in Finland, which to be pouring through six is now approximately 121/2 miles be-

> Swedish Aid Sought SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" COPENHAGEN. Feb. 18 (UP) .-The "Politiken" to-day reports from Stockholm that the Russians have

> advanced five miles into the Mannerhelm Line near Summa. The report adds that the Finnish censor permitted this statement to pass, the action being interpreted as being aimed to bolster the Finnish

Their mechanised vanguard is now plea for Swedish military nid. Another report from Stockholm says that a Socialist member of the

Finnish G.H.Q., it in feared, will be Swedish parliament has asked, the forced to order a general retreat in Swedish Premier if Parliament could Derby: order to prevent the two wings on be permitted openly to debate the C. B. Brown's BURFORD (161) either side of Summa from folding question of Swedish aid to Finland. PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

FINNS ALSO INVADE SOVIET TERRITORY

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BY RALPH FORTE, "UNITED PRESS" CORRESPONDENT

WITH THE FINNISH SKI PATROL IN RUSSIA, Cire's SPICYLIGHT (161) S. R. Feb. 18 (UP).—After a twelve hours' strenuous hiking and skiing trip from the last Finnish outpost on the southern part of the central front, I crossed into Russia to-day and penetrated the Karelian "Republic" with a hardy patrol of Finnish ski-| and the thermometer showed 20 de were the winners of the Dally

I motored from Lieksn on the wide and not fortified from the Arc-Innri highway to the dugout of an tie coast to Lake Ladoga—three officer in this sector some miles from frontier soldiers welcomed me with

lusty shouts." the front. From there I proceeded by horse sled to the last Finnish outpost, two miles from the Russian border. From thence I continued on skis over from the cold, told me that this was Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. Solds intricately lined with the tracks the nearest point to the Russians of former skiers. The snow was over four feet deep PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

... Grotesque Sights The ski patrols, their faces purple since three Russian battalions had

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1.—SATINLIGHT 2.—BURFORD 3.—CRAIGAVAD Time-2.54 a record.

DERBY FIELD

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Lucky Lad and Luncashire Lass Double, which paid out \$70.40 each As I reached the border—eight feet to 100 backers. The total amount of the pool was \$7,471.

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Further Late News

WINSTON AGAIN IN Sions. Lieu PILLORY THE SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).—The Altmark incident has a manner as to constitute criminal provided the German propaganda department with first-class opportunity for things, used the battle of the Skager Parkinson passed a bus and speeded heaping its vitriolic abuse through stock market manipulations, ever.

on Mr. Winston Churchill, one could only expect the worst", Mr. Edwards said that he was satisfied that there was sufficient evidence the most hated man in Old Idiots & Young Criminals "If old idiots and young criminals Germany to-day. were not at the British helm, the The Nazi Party's organ the people in London would realise that "Voelkischer Beobachter" gives the tragedy of Joessing Fjord only but Mr. D'Almada replied that their banner lines to the Altmark alimit resolve we shall present our defence would be reserved. a single resolve: we shall present our episode and leads off its story reckoning."

with a scathing attack on Mr. A Copenhagen message says that the make a statement. Parkinson indi-Social Democratic Party's newspaper, cated that he would reserve his de-PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

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CHINESE NANNING

Troops Re-enter City, Claim

While official confirmation of the complete recapture of Nanning is still being withheld, says a "Central News" message from Kweilin this morning, private telegrams state that Chinese forces re-entered the city on the evening of February 16.

It is stated that the main Jopanese forces which left the burning city over the week-end are now con-centrated at Yamchow and Fongsinng waiting to be transferred to

Along their attenuated line of retreat, they are being attacked and decimated by concerted Chinese

operations. Retreat Now A Rout The Chinese claim that the Japanese retreat is in the nature of a rout. Large numbers of dead and wounded have been abandoned on the roadside which is littered with an endless line of wrecked lorries and trucks. Increasing naval activities have

been seen outside the Loongmoon Harbour, scores of Japanese transports being rushed away with capacity loads.

Chinese troops near Nanning are now conducting mopping-up operations. Strong forces have crossed the Walkiang River to give relentless chase to the retreating Japanese.

Kiangsi Operations In Klangsi, Chinese forces have

inflicted on the retreating Japanese of sick and wounded and prisoners

a result many Japanese soldiers-were - "I have been elected Chairman of their advances near Changehin in set up. south-east Shansi last Thursday have again been defeated with severe

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New Appeal By B.W.O.F.

Lord Huntingfield's Letter To H.E.

The following is an extract from a letter to His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong from Lord Huntingfield, in connection with the war activities in which the British War Organisation Fund of Hongkong is associated.

"The War Organisation of the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John, have accepted the generous offer of the Lord Mayor of London, to place his Mansion House Appeal Organisation at their service. An organising body at the Mansion House has been formed under the Chairmanship and Deputy Chairmanship of the Lord Mayor and

Lord Iliffe respectively. "Among the Sub-Committees aprecaptured Michilag, a strategic pointed by the Lord Mayor, dealing height south-west of Fenghsin in the with the various questions that northern part of the province. More arise in connection with the appeal than 100 Japanese were killed in a made by H.R.H. the Duke of Gloubitter encounter preceding the Chin- cester, on September 9, 1939, which resulted in the establishment of the Heavy cosunities have also been Lord Mayor's Fund for the relief in West Sulyuan by pursuing Chin- of war of the Fighting Forces of the Crown, is one specifically charged A fleeing Japanese unit was at- with keeping touch with H.M. Retacked at the Yellow River and as presentatives overseas.

this Sub-Committee, and am writing Japanese forces which resumed to inform you that it has now been

New Appeal To Hongkong

"I am asking for the benefit of your intimate knowledge and understanding experience of Hongkong. and its people, and feel certain that |. Basing his application on have made, the resources of the Red Magistracy to-day to reconsider account of the Societies' joint work pleaded guilty to a charge of n. pansion of their services which a application.

prolonged wor will entail. b. kong has already made through the temper. n. Lord Mayor's Fund to the British! n. Red Cross and St. John's War Or-1 n. ganisation.

Suppor Ball & Cabaret

Northcote, who will be present.

(1) Two Dance numbers—Song said Mr. Russ.

Waltz and Potnourri Foxtrot— Concluding, Mr. Russ said that this Waltz and Potpourrl Foxtrotarranged by George Goncharoff, (2) was an isolated case, and there was legation, Germany denies that the Erich Porges at the plane (by kind no evidence at all of consistent Deptford, Garufalia and Thomas permission of Jimmy's Klichen) and crucky. (3) Professor Labrum and his Per- A fine would meet the case. forming Horse (Lieut.-Commander J. Grenham and Mr. W. Simpson). Hotel and tables reserved.

CAR MOUNTS PAVEMENT

SWERVING sharply to avoid a Chinese boy who ran suddenly in front of the vehicle, a car driven by Macfadyen said that in imposing the mounted the pavement in Mody Road nisance of the age of defendant and of one month and the probability anything savouring of "neutral yesterday, Mr. Kella, as a result, of the effect of any possible stigma that in any case a woman of this age favouriusm" to Germany.

William Cayzer.

VOLKISCHER BEOBACHTER

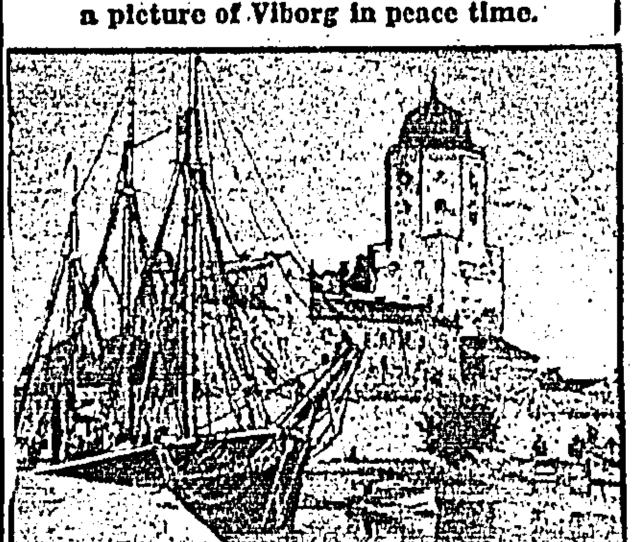


CALLS THIS Churchill's Blockade Wish-dream

Children of Europe, I love you so much I could eat you.

WAR AND PEACE

Soviet airmen have received strict orders to attack only military objectives, says Moscow. This picture (on the left) shows the ruins of a building in Viborg after bombardment by Soviet planes. Below, a picture of Viborg in peace time.



Plea For Old Woman Rejected

Prison Sentence To Stand

I can 'rely 'upon your help in ex-'grounds of old age and poor health, require constant replenishment. We passed by Mr. Macfadyen on a 73shall be delighted to send you a full year-old widow, Chan Yau-kul, who which you might find useful for treatment of a child on February 16. den neutrals?" making known the functions they Mr. H. W. Fraser of the Secretariat perform in war time, and the ex- for Chinese Affairs, opposed the

expressing once more the deep grati- had been a severe one, but he under- Norway acted wrongly," tude felt throughout the country by stood that the girl had been disservices and civilians alike at the obedient and had deliberately broken announcement in the Press of the a bowl. The punishment inflicted obgenerous contribution which Hong- viously resulted from a bad loss of

Feared Prison Stigma

Defendant, said Mr. Russ, was a basis in international law." very old and respectable woman, and to a woman of her age the stigma of going to prison was very high and A Supper Ball and Cabaret is may dwell deeply in her mind. She

Mr. Fraser said he had been in by German craft. may be obtained at the Gloucester concerning the health of the woman, these sinkings," the German note Hotel and tables reserved the suffering of the child endured claims. was also to be considered. It was Germany assures Norway that she a very bad case of illtreatment.

Full Cognisance Taken

Rejecting the application, Mr. ----

WINSTON AGAIN IN THE PILLORY

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the "Demokraten", in an editorial to-day points out that it has previously criticised the German torpedoing of neutral ships but now, in connection with the Altmark affair, it is likewise criticising England for bringing warfare into Norwegian territorial waters.

"Where now are the rights of plaining to them that whatever Mr. C. A. S. Russ requested Mr. "Where now are the rights of generous effort they may already Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon neutral countries?" asks the paper. adding: "Germany has now the ex- yesterday. Cross and St. John. Societies will sentence of a month's imprisonment ample of the Altmark for making Hyvinkan and Karjan, two towns Nightmare warnings of long-range con- near Helsingfors, were raided and sequences'. Yes! But why in all, bombed. that is reality should the war so bur-

Norway's Position

The "Berlingske' Tiden" says: Mr. Russ said it appeared from re- "Norway is only trying to maintain its "May I take this opportunity of ports that the assault on the girl neutrality, but both sides claim that though the niarm was sounded twice. The paper also asserts that other neutrals concur with Norway's stand and are determined that there shall be no further extension of the Alimark affair which would cause further violations of neutrality, because |claims to such steps would | find | no

Berlin Denies Guilt

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Feb. 19 (UP).-Germany, n on Thursday, February 29, 1940, at from heart and kidney diseases and of the Athenia, Terukuni Maru and 9.30 p.m., under the patronage of His could not walk properly. Suffering other ships which have fallen victim Excellency the Governor and Lady from high blood pressure and the to Nazi warfare at sea, is now trying other diseases had a very serious to place the blame for recent sinkings The Cabaret Items will consist of effect on a person's mental outlook, in Norwegian waters on Mr. Winston Churchill. In a verbal note to the Norwegian

legation, Germany denies that the Walton, which were sunk by U-Boats in Norwegian waters, were torpedoed structed to oppose any change in the "There were no German naval Tickets \$5 single and \$8 double sentence given. If it was a question units in the vicinity at the time of

would be provided. Mr. Macfadyen said if bad health Concluding, Mr. Macfadyen said Many quarters believe that some was discovered, it was customary for the wounds inflicted on the child form of German reprisals will be Tolephones (old) \$..... 26% sa. equal gains in Surigao and North death is announced of Sir Charles a prisoner to be placed on half were not consistent with weakness or forthcoming. The nation, however, some property, but caused no loss of

SOVIET BREAK THROUGH THE MANNERHEIM_LINE_

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Mass Air Raids Continue SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGHAPH" HELSINGFORS, Feb. 19 (UP).-Mass air raids on Finnish towns continue at an intensified tempo. Viborg was bombed several times

The Premier will give his reply on

Forty people were killed in a raid on Salmi. Two were killed at Yils-

The Soviet planes used machine-guns on civilians in four localities. Helsingfors was free of raids, al-

Finns Calling Up Reserves SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" HELSINGFORS, Feb. 19 (UP).-The Finnish Government has issued a decree, requiring all males between the ages of 22 and 43 inclusive who have not had military training to

report for medical examination,

In view of the fact that many of these ages have already volunteers being held at the Gloucester Hotel was a very sick woman, suffering which blames Britain for the sinking and only a few have been rejected, it is thought that the resultant number of conscripts will be small.

Those found fit for service will be

NAZI REPRISALS ARE EXPECTED

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includes merchant ships of al nutionalities and which does not include the name of the Altmark. Britain Is Ready

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 19' (UP).—It is behas at all times respected the neu- lieved that Britain's during action in trality of Norwegian territorial rescuing the British seamen from the Altmark may result in a new phase of warfare-which will be characterised by a more outspoken utilitude Mr. A. C. Kella, of 30, Mody Road, centence, the Court took full cog- labour at all. Considering the term on the part of the Allies regarding

sustained slight Incial injuries. The of a sentence of imprisonment. The could not be given any unduly hard applying to Britain's action are retained to the police last ton was the health of defendant, but reason to alter his decision. If any particular as laughable here in the face blanket. there had been no evidence on this medical treatment were needed this of German attacks on neutral ship-

Inbour, which in fact, meant, nolliness on defendant's part. Is prepared for all eventualities.

Russians—and Trees— Look Alike

By RALPH HEWINS, Daily Mail War Correspondent in Finland On the Salla Front.

EARLY this morning I crept through the eeric Finnish forest with a ski patrol and reconnoitred the Russian lines only 400 yards away.

For hours we picked our way among the trees. No one spoke. At every step the Russian guns might crash out. I almost wished they had. The strain of listening and watching in that great stillness hurt. But not a shot was fired.

This is the ghostly work the Finns must do every night. A hundred times forest growths appeared to me to take human shape. Were they hiding Russians? No-only trees. Good nerves are needed on these patrols.

We had our orders. Watch for any Russian move. If possible cut off any of the enemy daring to venture too far afield; surprise sentries chilled by the cold; capture prisoners for questioning; break field phones; damage commissariat and equipment. But we must not provoke a pitched fight.

At first I was keyed up, expecting uncanny silence to be broken by the roar of artillery, the whine and rattle of shells and machine-guns. I expected to have to dive into the snow for cover.

But as minutes passed my new-found animal alterness be-gan to yield to careless complacency.

I dared to whisper. A hasty "S-sh" from the officer in charge reminded me we were in-

Trees-Or Men?

A glance at the taut features of his men as they strained eyes and ears for the slightest movement was enough to prevent me from being so careless again.

Time went on and the tension increased. Was I getting jumpy, or were those trees, that hillock, those shrubs really trees and shrubs, or As it so often turned out, the

whiteclad arm was only a branch; the prone hump only a tree trunk. The officer raised a white-gloved hand .- We - waited - breathlessly untilmysterious signs and passwords enabled us to proceed.

It was like going to a Ku-Klux-Klan meeting amid an endless forest of Christmas trees.

My imagination began to play more tricks.. A ghost waiting down a gentle slope made me start. It was only a skier hurrying across a small open space.

At last we left the danger zone behind. "Is it always as still as this?" I whispered. "I could start the firing at any

moment, but you newspapermen are valuable to us. Be quiet, please," was the reply. So it is on patrol. Silence. Always silence. Nightly the Finns cover up to 50 miles with the thermometer

usually showing at least 40 degrees

of frost. Only men bred in the woods, unemotional, though sometimes mystic, can keep it up. They need at least two years' training on skis. Week in and week out they are holding up the Russian steam roller

in these snowbound forest wilder-For the Russians the strain must be almost greater. They live in a nightmare of fleeting white shadows which may suddenly pump death at them with machine-guns at point

FINNS ALSO INVADE SOVIET TERRITORY --> FROM PAGE ONE

been repulsed along an 18-mile front on the Litken-Innel highway sinco. December 22 last year....

gaw were the green frontler posts; fliose and some frozen Russian soldiers sitting in grotesque postures in four feet of snow, with riffes across their arms or their noses sticking out from the snow. Everywhere as I glided towards the border I saw signs of that twomonths-old retreat. Tractors and tanks upside down and rusting in the deep snow. Complements of the Russian battalions frozen stiff- under the soft white blanket of snow. Often they presented nothing more than a small mound which would brenk the surface of the snow

As I started for the front, 40 Russlan planes oppeared over Lickso. This In the dugout I heard that they had bombed a town, and damaged

Synopsis: Lovely Mary Haines, a happy wife and devoted-mother is a member of New York's wealthy "gossip" set, a part of the circle that lives in the beauty salons, the gown shops and the bridge-clubs. One day she has the "girls" to lunch. She detects the veiled barbs of her cousin, Sylvia Fowler, an ace-meddler but is unaware that Sylvia has learned from Olga. her manicurist, that Stephen Haines is "carrying on" with another girl. Quite innocently. she agrees to go to Olga for her next manicure. This story is based on the M.G.M. version of the stage play of the same name, which will be screened in Hongkong shortly.

FOR no reason at all, Mary had awakened that icy draft blow over her. morning with the firm de-friend of mine. She's really a cision to change her coif- terrible mantrap. Soak it, please, later, swallowed up in a black, now the right hand. She's be- agonising despair, when her

thing she didn't bother try- him a couple of months ago. and it was clear that Mrs. ing to understand, Nancy He bought some Summer Rain Morehead had heard too. Blake, off again that day for Australia had laughed on her palm and in the crook of her arm. So he got to smell-weight blank feeling of unreality, "I never dreamed it could happen to us. "There's probably a man at ing around and I guess he liked

the bottom of it," and Mary

had agreed. "Probably.

hope Stephen will like it."

She was sitting in the

In one hand she held a

magazine, but reading, in

the face of Olga's chatter,

absolute gangsters. Know Mrs.

you about that. Mrs. Fowler

feels awfully sorry for her."

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Stephen-Haines?"

was 'well-nigh impossible.

little manicuring booth now,

being finished off by Olga.

"Yeah. This Crystal is a

"H-hooked?" Mary felt an you told it to me." Blindly, she groped her way to the door.

The "why" of it was some- Black's. That's how she met mother came in. One glance

We've been so happy together .

so much in love'. the way, you haven't said anything I'm an old woman dear and I know tinguished. I'm sure you wouldn't to Stephen yet, have you?" my sex. Goodbye." Warmly, she overlook him."

"Then say nothing." Mary stared kissed her child and left. at her. Mrs. Morehead leaned forward. "Listen dear, this is not a "You mean he's tired of me."

Mrs. Morehend took out her knit-"Stephen's tired of himself. Time comes when every man's got to feel something new, when he's got to feel young again just because he's growing older. And his only escape

A MOMENT later the telenew story. It comes to most wives, phone rang. It was Sylvia, pure acid. She picked up a bottle.

> Mary cut her rather short. Ber- out of that. muda, ch? Well, maybe Mother was right. "I'm. busy now, Sylvin. Sorry dear, I'll call you sometime -" Well, that's what I call gratitude.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

in the name of friendship that you | "He is awfully good looking," "I know. There, there, baby. By lose your husband and your home. Sylvin said airily, "tall, fair and dis-

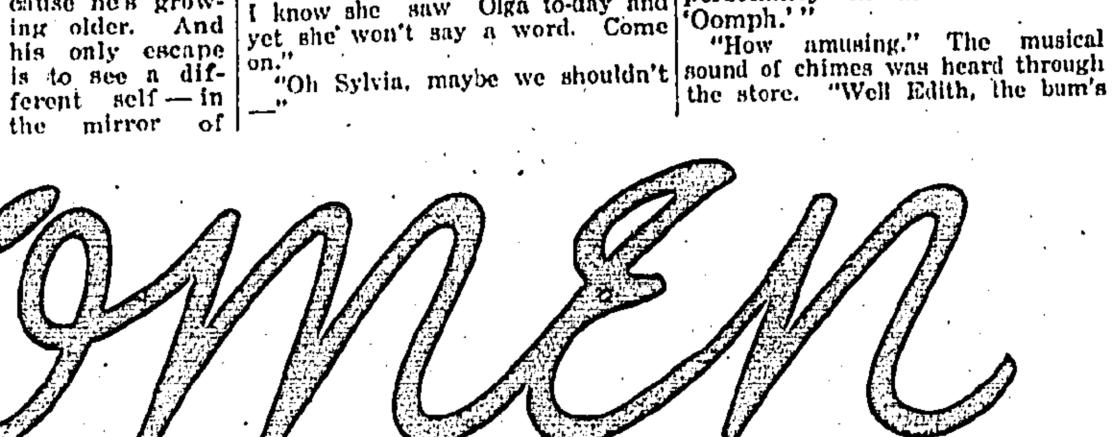
"I'm sorry but when one's mind is on one's own business —" . .

"Of course." Sylvia's smile was Stephen is a man. He's been mar-bursting to talk about nothing "And as you say — you have so ried ten years —"

at all.

> CRYSTAL indicated the bottle In the department store tele-she was holding. "I wouldn't phone booth Sylvia turned to Edith. think that one suggests your I know she saw Olga to-day and personality at all. It's called

"How amusing." The musical the store. "Well Edith, the bum's



"Isn't she a lamb?" She's pose. One coat or two?" I did her at home last week. been a gift from Stephen. She my advice. Keep still, keep still." perfectly. She pulled Edith to the closed her eyes, then steadied Mary felt a sudden revulsion and counter and began to finger the per-Those six daughters of hers are herself. "Never mind."

friends-" MARY started and looked up.

her name. "What? Why yes, Fowler's friends came for." "Oh. Well, goodbye. I'll tell "I guess Mrs. Fowler's told her you were in, Mrs.-"

"Oh, she does?" Mary colours. "Oh, gee, gee laughed uncertainly. "Well, I Haines, I'm sorry. Oh isn't there something I can do?"

-With infinite

knowledge

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42—Pull siter one

29-Berewing up of

o ... Make comfortable

2-Make more endurable

6-Theodore

12-Dy oneself

3-Wine over

"You would if you knew this "Stop telling that story." -girl,-Crystal-Allen.-She's the Mary's voice broke. "And one who's hooked Mr. Haines." please don't tell anyone that

Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

62-Language of Highlands

64-Say 65-Colored artificially 66-Hearing organs 67-Is surcharged

i-Look for 2-in manner of

(Italian)

DOWN

- . 61-Drewed

she flared up with it. "And what fume bottles. "But I thought that's what if I don't want him under those Then she held one up. "Oh, you came for. All Mrs. Fowler's terms. Women aren't chattels any here's this new kind, Summer out to-morrow, Mrs. Prowler." more. Stephen and I are equals. Rain. That's what Mary Haines We belonged to each other freely, is so keen about." Covertly watch-"I think," Mary said uneven- I won't qualify our relationship ing her prey, she went on. "A Evidently the girl hadn't caught ly, "that I've got what all Mrs. now. It's shockingly wrong. No friend of ours, Mrs. Stephen Haines, mother, I'm through—finished."

up. "Mary. You mustn't say a sold it to him-eh?" "Mrs. Stephen Haines."

"Mrs. — ?" Olga turned six this out calmly. I'm going right lot them She had Stephen into the state of the creature."

"Mrs. — ?" Olga turned six this out calmly. I'm going right lot them She had Stephen into the conduction of the creature." down this minute and get tickets for let them. She had Stephen just

> for you to think of now than each so many men come in here." other. There's your daughter." Mary went silent with pain. Mrs. Morehead starting for the door. "One more piece of motherly advice. Don't confide in your wirl friends."

"I think they all know." "But they don't think you know? Then leave it that way. If you let them advise you they'll see to it

GOVERNMENT "WINS" LOTTERY

MADRID.—The Spanish Government did very well by itself in the Spanish holiday lottery. Besides winning the entire second prize, the Government also gets half of the winnings from the first prize ticket, which was shared by a holder

in Madrid. This first prize amounted to 15,-1000,000 pesetas (nominally about G\$1,500,000) and the second prize,

which the Government won outright, totalled 0,000,000 pesetas.

The holiday lottery has been resumed in Spain last year on the same basis as before the civil war.

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"You say Mrs. Fowler it. Since then they've been in- some woman's eyes. This girl Sylvia gestured impatiently and rush in melody." She picked up a the separable, practically every probably means no more to him they headed for the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and said to the perfume de-tiny vital of cologne and the perfume de-tiny sent you in?" Olga gabbed. evening. Jungle Red, I sup-than a new dress does to you." partment. Suddenly, she caught Crystal patronisingly, I'll take this have breath. No doubt of it that my door." From her have also null-"Good heavens Mary, he doesn't red-head with the pansy eyes was ed out a crumpled sales slip. sent me three clients this Trembling, Mary got to her love the girl. If he did you'd have Crystal Allen. The description, "There's my name and address." week. Know Mrs. Potter? feet. Summer Rain. It had felt it yourself, long ago. So take brassy manner and all, fitted her Just charge and send."

simply dotes on this. Her husband Alarmed, Mrs. Morehead jumped picked it out for her. Perhaps you dragged Edith along. "Prowler,

Mrs. down this minute and get tickets for the bear wanted him. It had been a swell idea, reading those books and talking engineering to him. It was a hot line and it was "Oh mother, it's sweet of you him. It was a hot line and it was working. She said smoothly, "I'm "Mary, there's something more afraid I don't remember. We have

"Twenty-five cents," Crystal said sweetly. "My, you are getting off economically, aren't you? It'll be

Crystal glanced at the sales-slip "Oh sorry, Mrs. Fowler."

Sylvia was snorting fire as she huh. She called me that deliberate-

> TO-MORROW The Cats



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"BIG SHIP—EASY TARGET," THEY SAY

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would be rendered innocuous if faced by a fleet containing battleships. We somewhere. But to score a "bull' cannot, therefore abolish battleships requires the same skill, or the same unless other nations agree to do so luck. A "target" cannot retaliate: a and keep their promise.

Defying The Vilest Weather

risking our own security? We can, provided others also do it. During the Disarmament Conferences the British Admiralty were never of retaliation would exist if she were averse to discussing such limitations. In fact, the Washington Treaty- With efficient retaliation from antiwhich no longer exists—imposed, in aircraft guns and fighters from the 1922, a limit of 35,000 tons.

about limitation. Our Empire, having no boundaries, requires ships large enough to keep the sea in any ship is considered, it must be realised weather in any part of the world; that a battleship usually works as our ships must be able to go where part of a fleet not as a single ship; required, so that a sufficient force whether with a fleet or alone, it is can be in the right place at the right screened against submarine attack time. Other nations do not share by attendant small craft. these requirements to the same ex- Although the extra length would

be, and, because power is increased battle-fleet is seldom attacked by a as size is increased, there has always torpedo; rather is an attack made on been a temptation, not often resisted, the whole line from a distance. Big to go one better than the other fellow. cost to the taxpayer increases. with hit, because the proportion of "water startling rapidity. Not only has the space" to "ship space" in a line extra tonnage to be pald for, but would remain about the same.

also special plant must be manufactured to turn out the enormous guns required. There is practically no THE power and speed which can limit to the amount which may have be included in a 60,000-ton battleto be spent along the sea routes. ship is far greater than in one of

bases distributed about the world, action would far outweigh the slight The larger the ship, the more difficult extra chance of damage due to the to manoeuvre in narrow, and espec- large target to be aimed at. Also, the ially in shallow, waters; the larger bigger the ship, the steadier the gun must be the dry dock to accommodate platform in rough weather. her, the longer and more solid the We could obtain security with wharves; and more dredging is neces-sary to make harbours navigationally are to-day if other nations would safe for her reception.—These-har- agree-to-a-limitation of size; but until bour works are very expensive. It is a vicious circles which can be must continue to dance to the popu-prevented only if the nations of the lar tune. One day, perhaps, the sizeworld are genuine and united in their madness will give way to the sanity efforts to prevent it.

Luck Needed For A "Buil" THE argument against large ships -because "the bigger the ship, the bigger the target," can be considered In two ways. If the big ship, the big target, is lost, the loss is, of course, greater than if the unit was of smaller dimensions—there would

be more eggs in the basket.

And it goes without saying that the bigger the target, the easier it is hit

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battleship can. The blgger the ship. the more powerful and numerous can be her guns and the greater her speed all of which give her more chance of CAN we reduce the size without crippling an enemy before being damaged herself.

To a smaller extent the advantages attacked by submarine or nireraft. ship, and from other ships of the There are, however, difficulties Fleet, a direct hit from the air is no

When submarine attack on a battle-

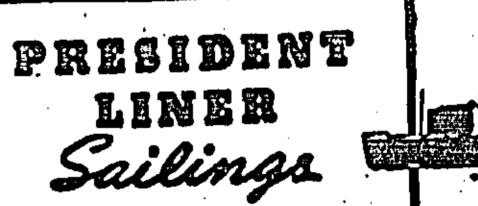
favour the submarine, the actual There is nothing to tell us off-hand advantage would in reality be very just how large a battleship should slight. An individual ship in a As battleships increase in size the increase the chances of a successful

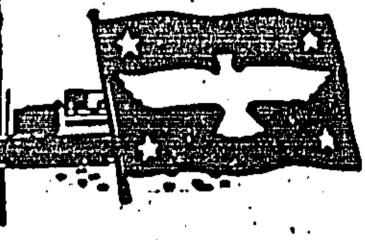
So Much Depends On Others

Ships must have repair and supply 35,000 tons, and such advantage in an

such an agreement is reached, we which is satisfied with modest dimen-







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DRAMATIC DETAILS OF ALTWARE FIGHT

Nazis Fled Ashore, Opened Fire On Destroyer With Rifles

LONDON, FEB. 18 (REUTER).—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED IN BERLIN THAT SEVEN GERMANS WERE KILLED IN THE ALTMARK INCIDENT AND THAT ANOTHER IS MISSING, PRESUMED DROWNED. FIVE WERE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

About 150 of the 250 of the Altmark's prisoners, who were taken to hospital at Leith, were able to leave to-day to return to their homes. A dramatic account of the boarding party's exploit was given to

'Reuter'' to-day.

The officer in charge of the party leaped eight feet from the Cossack to the Altmark, waving a revolver and shouting "Come on, at Bergen."

follow me!"

Rescued Briton Tells Of Ordeal

STILL AGROUND LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Interviewed by the BBC, one the Altmark, to-night broadcast a short account of the terrible conditions under which the left and treated the wounded Germans, three of whom Nazis kept over 300 British

He said the food was small BEST TRADITIONS UPHELD and scarce. The daily menu ran

as follows: sugar or milk.

soup or tinned potatoes and meat. Tea at 5.30 p.m. Three thin pieces of black bread and another cup of sugarless and milkless tea.

schools, contract and auction bridge and cribbage all attracting devotees. There was little exercise possible,

nasty crack on the head.

Nazi Doctor Landed

by praising the Nazi doctor on board for his kindness and humanitarian

that doctor," he declared, adding: "We tried to find him at the finish to thank him. He bandaged up our naval rating last night." Relished The lob

Aubrey Jenkins, of the Doric Stur.

standing alongside me raised a Another ex-prisoner, George Johnston, of Newton Beach, produced on the Altmark capture. copies of a statement made to the Newton Beach crew by the Commander of the Graf Spee and by the Commander of the Allmark to the

wish to have peaceful relations with the English nation but owing to your and living."

Revenge Treatment

Britain Protests To Norway

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -The Foreign Office states: "Lord Halifax yesterday odged a complaint with

Norwegian Minister against the failure of the Norwegian authorities to establish presence of between 300 and:400 British prisoners aboard the Altmark when she was searched

rise to this complaint.

"He was informed that it appeared to His Majesty's Government that the Norwegian Government had, in this matter, failed in their duty as a neutral, and that His Majesty's to Finland avoiding involvement in Government felt that the case against the war though financial and this particular ship was such that they humanitarian assistance has been were justified in pressing that the permitted. Altmark should be interned."

Strong Note To Norway

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The British Government's communication to the Norwegian Government says that it is notorious that the Altmark participated in the depredations of the Graf Spee to which she had acted as an auxillary.

The British Government had the reasons, confirmed by British subjects taken off the Graf Spee and previously imprisoned in the Altmark, to know that there were some 300 or 400 Britishers aboard who had long been living under intolerable condi-

The Altmark was also credibly beleved to possess offensive armaments.

Ship's Record Well Known The record of the Altmark must have been well-known to the Norwegian Government, and in the view of His Majesty's Government, it was incumbent on the Norwegian Govern-ment when she entered Bergen and requested passage through Norwegi-an territorial waters to subject her to a very careful search.

H.M. Government would be grateful for full particulars with regard to how the search was conducted and what facts discovered.

Perfunctory Examination Reports received by H.M. Government have indicated that examination was perfunctory 17 commented ironically on the Ger- shown by the fact that no prisoners l were discovered. ...

> After referring to Norway apparently failing in her duty as a neutral, the note asks if they had found British prisoners aboard what would they have done with them? Either they would have released them or anyhow have held them

H.M. Government felt, therefore, that they had every right to complain of the inaction of the Norwegian Government.

The 300 Britishers were kept for "In future we cannot see our way weeks and months in close confineto accept any explanation from that ment and if those prisoners had found quarter and we shall judge every their way to a camp in Germany, the authoritative German notification Norwegian Government would have from the experience we have had been responsible for their fate. The note concludes by demanding

Nazi Threats To Neutrals Won't Tolerate Aid For Finland

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .-According to authoritative information received in Paris to-Prominent Church And night, Germany has officially informed Norway and Sweden that she would regard any direct The Portuguese community has aid given by those countries to lost a deeply respected member in Finland as a breach of neu-

This is considered to have been the reason why Sweden rejected the "unarmed merchantship" has caused Mrs. Alves was 54 years of age, and Finnish appeal for military assistance ·Believed To Be A Bluff

country declaring war on mine, I on the other hand, in the June, and living."

chant Shipping.

chant Shippi of Telegraphic and Wireless Comalthough accomplished very quietly, ment her threat as it is against her
munication at Berne, a German occupied much of her life. The funeral will take place to- Newspapers generally stress the morrow afternoon, and a Requiem view that the solution of the problem Mass will be said in St. Teresa's of saving Finland lies with the

> 10.000 Italians To Aid Finns PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter),-A legion of 10,000 Italians living in France, headed by Camillo Marabini, President of the Italian Garibaldeans who fought in Argonne during the Great War, is leaving for Finland shortly, necording to a statement by Bignor Marabini to the newspaper, "L'Intransigeant,"

Scandingvian States.

Finland _#Cure CHEST Seeking FLU' COUGHS etc Wilitary Alliance?

Reported Approach To The Allies

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (Domci). — The "Folketz Dagbritt" says that the Finnish Government is now making earnest efforts to conclude a military agreement with Britain and France.

The paper reports that the Finnish Premier, Dr. Riti, and the Finnish Foreign Minister, M. Tanner, will shortly visit London to ask for further assistance.

Swedish Rejection Of Appeal STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (Domei).—The Swedish Government to-day officially confirmed "The Norwegian Minister was asked that the Finnish request for to obtain urgently an explanation of the circumstances which have given because it tonded to projected because it tended to prejudice Sweden's neutrality.

Informed political quarters, how-ever, understand that Sweden's neutral policy will become all the more difficult since Sweden is in a posttion to relay the supply of arms to Finland. Some circles understand that Britain will so regulate her supply of meat, rubber and oil to Sweden as to make the latter extend positive assistance to Finland.

Sweden's "No" To Finland SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" COPENHAGEN, Feb. 18 (UP) .--The Danish radical newspaper Politiken says: "The Swedish Premier's 'no' to Finland was certainly not an

easy 'no'." "It has evoked a deep feeling in Sweden, which is divided between inner desires and realistic considera-

"It can be expected that from the side of those circles who insisted on direct intervention in Finland, will come a stronger effort to make the Swedish Government change its attitude. These circles were hitherto an absolute minority, but it has often been experienced that a change in public sentiment has been able to dis-

-lodge the Swedish Government. "Nevertheless, it is probable that the conflict over the English violation of Norwegian neutrality will weaken the activists sentiments.

"For here is a situation which all Swedes, without exception, want to avold—a situation whereby Sweden might be drawn into the war and which might make Sweden a theatre

Land Mines Work Havoc French Patrol Suffers

PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).— One was killed, three are missing and eight have been seriously injured as the result of Nazi land-

Casualties

A French patrol suffered these casualties when it penetrated into German territory west of the River German companies attacked two French outposts on Saturday. They were repulsed.

German Communique SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Feb. 18 (UP).—To-day's communique issued by the German High Command said: "During patrol operations west of Merzing yesterday several prisoners were brought in. "As already announced by a special message during the week, during the period February 11 to 17 German naval measures sank 32 ships of 128,174 tons both of British and French registration. A British airplane of the Blenheim type was

also shot down."

Nazi Attack Fails PARIS, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—A communique issued to-day states: "After very heavy preparation with trench mortars, the enemy attacked one of our outposts to the east of the Moselle. He falled entirely. "On other parts of the front, there was patrol activity on either side."

Roosevelt In The Panama Canal

CRISTOBALS, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .--President Roosevelt arrived at Gatun Docks in the U.S.S. Tuscaloosa at 8 a.m. E.S.T. to-day and disembarked an hour later to inspect the Panama Canal locks and defences.

After his inspection, President Roosevelt crossed the Isthmus of Panama by train and re-embarked on the Tuscaloosa at Miraflores Lock. It is believed that he plans to go to Pearl or Cocos Islands for a few days' dshing before returning THE through the Canal.

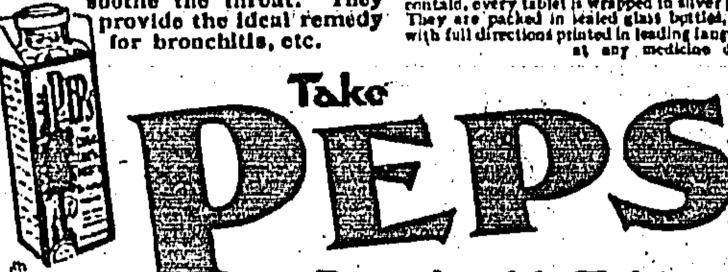
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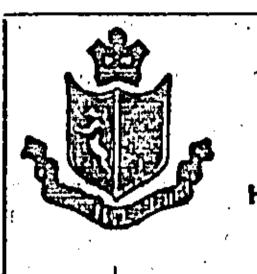
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sailors.

Dinner at 2.30 p.m. One pint of the Altmark incident.

That was all.

Cards Kept Spirits Alive when the desperate attempt at thing to affront a country which mutiny was discovered they were all has so many claims on our respect as put on bread and water for two days. Norway, but the Norwegian authori-The British sailors tried to keep ties on the spot put themselves in the up their spirits by starting eard wrong.

although they managed to play leap frog. But they had to be careful not to jump too high otherwise they got a

The rescued sailor closed his talk "If ever I met a white man it was up from Germany does not alter our spirit.

One of the released prisoners.

"During the scrap, it was ob-siderable justification for the British vious that the Germans had not action.' the stomach to face the brave and reckless sallors. One German pistol to shoot one of the boarding party, but he was not fast enough."

The statement by the Graf Spee's commander stated among other don.

The Altmark's commander's state- vessel named Altmark appears as a ment quoted a report in Dutch news- warship. papers describing the treatment of German prisoners in Africa and added that because of this, any request by British prisoners in the ship BRITISH TANKER would be definitely refused.

JERUSALEM, Feb. 18 (Reuter).— LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The High Commissioner for Palestine, Sir Captain and a fireman lost their lives Harold MacMichael, to-day inspected when the 3,656-ton British steamer, and addressed Palestinian Arabs and Baron Ailsa, sank after an explosion arranged for Maitese nationals under Jowish volunteers in the Auxillary in the North Sea last night. Military Ploneer Corps. ... The remaining 34 were saved.

LIKE FRIGHTENED RABBITS

The Germans scuttled like frightened rabbits and left the ship as hurriedly as they could get overboard. They took positions on high rocks and opened fire blindly, wounding one man in the shoulder.

It was then that the British fired in retaliation.

Among those still in hospital are about 70 Lascars, who are expected to be discharged to-morrow.

The Altmark is still aground with about 100 Germans of the British sailors freed from aboard. She is being guarded by Norwegian warships.

have been sent ashore to hospital.

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—"It was in the best traditions Breakfast at 7 a.m. Three thin of Nelson and an action that was fully justified," says both pieces of black bread; tea with no public and Press opinion in Britain to-day in connection with

A Norwegian doctor went on board when the British

After recounting the story of the rescue of British sailors, which it calls a "heartening piece of news," the "Sunday ! Times" says that it is regrettable that we should have to do any-

Norwegians Criticised

prisoners to Germany.

whole of British public opinion sup- Germany and the neutrals by the ports H.M.S. Cossack's action. The British Press also considers that the Nazl protest has not a leg to stand on. The squeal that has gone

judgment in the least, says the paper. Time To Laugh

When the murderers of the high seas invoke legal protection for their ships, it is time to laugh. There is little question that the told a thrilling story of the bravery British action has aroused misgivings and daring of the men from the Cos- in view of the difficulties the American nations have experienced in fisheries and the disappearance of He sold: "Immediately the grap- matters of a naval character, says the Norwegian ships. pling irons were affixed to the sides Washington correspondent of the of the Altmark, men from the Cos- "New York Times." He continues: sack fairly leapt to their lob. They "Nevertheless, if the Altmark was a appeared to relish the venture as naval auxiliary cruiser, as the prethey landed on the Altmark's deck sence of German sailors on board her with pistols and flashing bayonets. | would seem to indicate, there is con-

Churchill To Speak

LONDON. Feb. 18 (Reuter) .-- Mr. Winston Churchill, the First Lord of the Admiralty, is expected to make a statement in the House of Commons

Astonishing Claim. German claim that the Altmark is an Road.

considerable astonishment - in Lon- was the only sister of Mr. A. M. L. against Russia.

DEBUNKING THE NAZIS

Oslo Paper Becomes Realistic

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The Oslo paper, "Dagbladet," on February man report that February 15 was a They had no business under in- "successful" day for sea warfare and ternational law to allow Norwegian that protests against inquiries into

waters to be used for taking British ship sinkings are being held in Why did Norway allow them to The "Handel," referring to its There was also a system of barier, use these waters and why did the publication of the German official Towards the end tobacco was so Norwegian authorities tell the British interpretation of sea warfare, writes: scarce that it was selling at £1 a destroyer commander that there were The German radio broadcast yesterpound, and a box of matches cost no British prisoners on the Altmark? day parts of the article and presented position The "Sunday Graphic" informs the it as though we had written it our-Norwegian Government that the selves. It was an attempt to gull

> abuse of our paper. Not So Gullible

with this article." The same paper, in an editorial the intermient of the Altmark. comment, describes the Altmark affair as "something which Berlin shricks out to be a frightful breach of Norwegian neutrality" and sets against it the case of German trawlers' violation of Norwegian

C. S. Alves

Charity Worker the death early this morning of Mrs.

Carmen Soares Alves, wife of Mr. trality. LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter) .- The C.J. M. Alves, of 302 Prince Edward

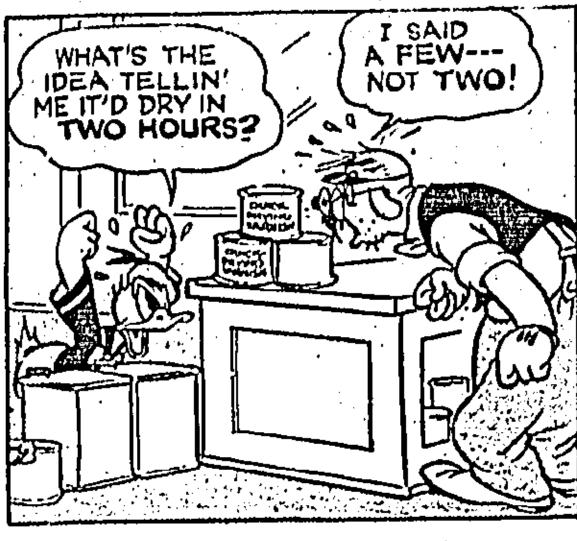
here is no trace of any vessel called a prominent member of the Portu- prove that any country aiding a Altmark in Lloyd's Register of Mer-Iguese community, and devoted a neighbour attacked by Russia must

Church on February 20. Maltese To Join

MALTA, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—Recruiting for the R.A.F. has been the same conditions as for those in Britain, it is announced.

Walt Disney

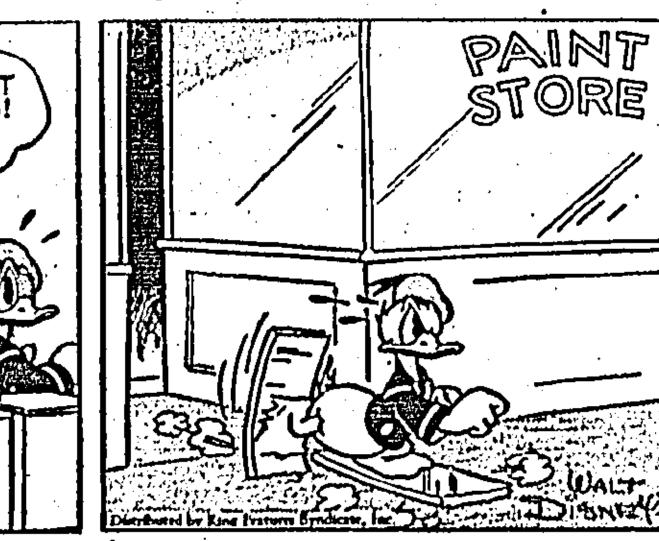






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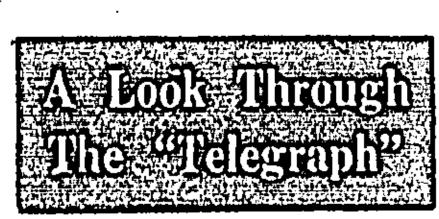
HITLER is trying to lead foxy Joe Stalin into a campaign of conquest in the Middle East against Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan and India, so that the Russian armies may create a diversion for a German push into south-eastern Europe.

He may have to push south-east soon, as the Balkans are rapidly closing against him, refusing him necessary supplies, which may force him into making an attempt to get them by arms.

Diplomatic agents, military experts, newspaper propaganda, all have been mobilised for the task of dazzling before the eyes of Stalin, the riches of the East; the domination of regions which throughout history have been the happy huntingground of Georgian raiders.

What success he is having is not yet clear.

Threat In East Many reports are coming in speaking of Russian concentrations of troops on the border of Iran, Afghanistan, and Eastern Turkey.



50 YEARS AGO

At eleven o'clock this afternoon St. German attempt at force Andrew's Hall was crowded with ladies and gentlemen, including General Edwards and the heads of departments, attending the presentation of addresses Turkey has reinforced her

25 YEARS AGO

Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam tions for extending the Turkish ports that a nine days' winter battle strategic railway here by a furon the Masurian Lakes has taken place ther twenty kilometres towards with the Russian Tenth Army, of eleven the Russian frontier. A credit divisions, who were thrown across the of £2,000,000 has been voted for frontier.

The communique claims that the this purpose. Russians were also encircled and severely beaten. Those remaining The Japanese, too, are interested. excaped into the forest of Sawalki and A Japanese mission has arrived in Many Russians were killed and the number of prisoners has not yet been! They are to study the situation in ascertained, but it is surely over fifty the Middle East, and prepare every-

"The Kaiser attended the decisive battles of our troops, old Easterns with young troops, who, especially alletted to this task, proved equal to their old comrades despite very despite very and their old comrades despite very despite very alletted the results are despited to their old comrades despite very alletted the results to their old comrades despite very alletted the results to their old their old companies are despited to their old the comrades despite very adverse

operations which were carried out trained and numbering about a milsplendidly by Generals Elchborn and lion men, is not well equipped. von Buelow.

Four Germans interned in the prisoners' camp at Hunghom succeeded in yesterday. Details of the matter show that five men made the attempt, but

tured in the New Territory. 10 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19, 1930. Chief interest in the tennis champlouship which was continued yesterday was centred in the appearance of Paul Kong (Kong Too-choun), the Shanghai Interport player, who met T. Aklyama in the second round of the Open Singles.

The full results of yesterday's inntches were as follows: Open Singles.-Luk Ding-cheung beat D. Mohamed 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5; E. F. for the Germans, now that the Fincher heat H. Owen Hughes 6-3, 6-9, Danube is freezing up and river 7.5; S. E. Green beat Wong Fuk-nam deliveries of oil and grain are becom-0-1, 6-1, 0-2; Kong Too-chaung beat T. Akiyama, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2.

A. L. Sullivan beat H. J. Armstrong railway line from Rumania across and O.E.C. Marton 6-0, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5; C. Russian-occupied Poland into Ger-A. L. Rumjahn and J. A. E. Cassumbhoy beat T. C. Monaghan and B. G. Grigor, Five trains a day of sixty trucks Club Championship.-Dr. J. Valentino

boat W. H. Suour, 6-4, 6-2. 5 YEARS AGO

Stewards to-day banned parti-mutuel the form of a diversion engaging betting on a pony. Shortly before the Turkish, British and French troops start of the Exchange Plate, a notifica- must obviously be highly desired by tion was posted on the course stating the German Staff. that, until further notice, Liberty Uny, the unbestable Dunbar stable mount, Discouraged would be excluded from the betting.

R.A.F. PLANE IS LOST

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ing to an official announcement by controlled oilfields in Iran and Iraq, north of Iraq, as well as the strate- servoir, which supplies Tokyo, the Air Ministry, a British plane to- Stalin, as a Georgian, probably gie railway stretching from Turkey more than half empty. day falled to return from a recon- known what difficult country faces across Syria to the Persian Gulf. naissance flight

The announcement added that this this direction. was the second British plane reported Mountains make communications Balkans and on the Dardanelles. I the annals of the power industry has to be missing within 48 hours under between Northern Iran and the oll- feel sure Stalin will think twice there been, such a calemity in although most of them suffered from similar circumstances.

the Turks, the Iranians, and the Afghans are doing their best to dissuade him. With the example of Finland's so far highly successful resistance! before them, they are preparing to meet any Russo-

to H.E. Sir. G. W. des Voeux, on the troops on the Russian frontier. occasion of his departure for Europe Her President, General Inonu, has gone up to Erzerum to Feb. 10, 1916. inspect them and the prepara-

thousand, together with forty guns and thing for a deal by which Japan sixty machine guns as well as much would buy from Turkey, Iran, and

should the Japanese decide to give it General von Hindenburg directed the For the Iranian Army, though well

Radio Threats

For Germany, certainly, the situaeffecting their escape from the camp tion is grave in Turkey and southeastern Europe. German radio that the fifth was caught in the at- attacks on Turkey are becoming tempt, the other four managing to get more and more violent as it becomes away. Up to the time of writing, one clear that Turkey will not help of the escaped prisoners has been cap- Germany to obtain by overland voutes raw material supplies from the Middle and Near East.

which pay in gold.

each were to have been despatched from December 2. None has yet passed.

Certainly Germany has every Feb. 19, 1935.

For the first time in the history of the Hongkong Jockey Club, the south-eastern push. Russian help in

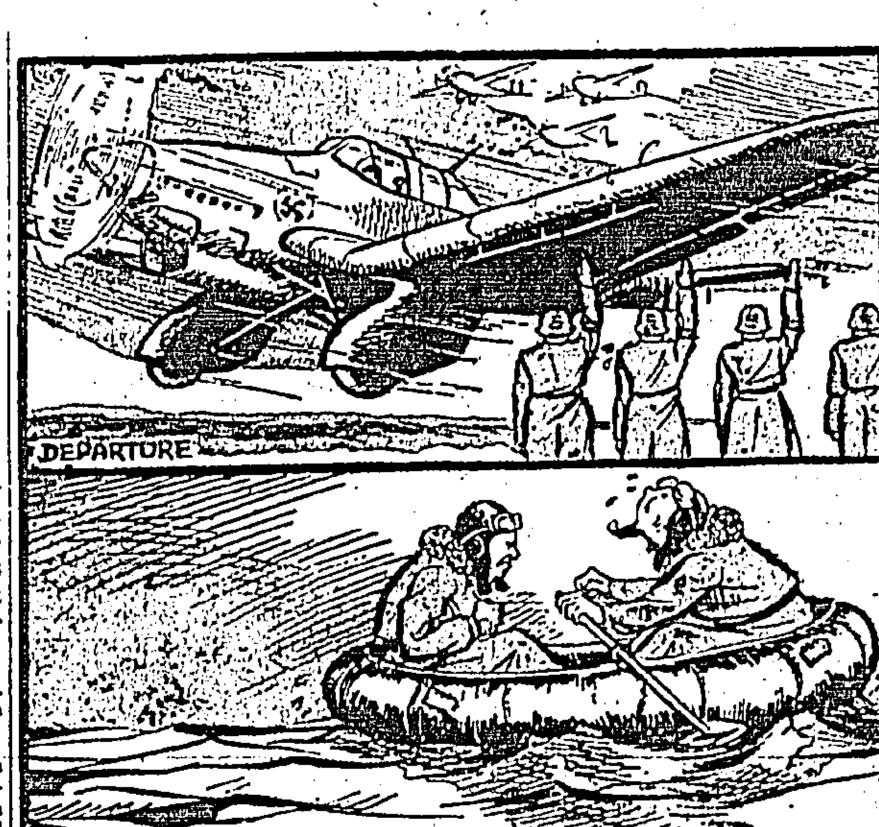
But I cannot see Joe Stalin taking this line, not if he is as wily as they say he is. The Finnish experiment of his army's strength has hardly been encouraging so far.

Rumania is standing up more firmly to the Germans. She is refusing to grant them the thirtyeight per cent, premium they are demanding on purchases of oil and other raw malerials. For she can export these more profitably to countries like Britain and France.

Just to make things really difficult ing impossible, the Russians still Open Doubles .- F. A. Redmond and cannot, or will not, set working the

Five trains a day of sixty trucks

flelds so difficult that in Northern about this German invitation.



"A DAY in the life of a German bombing expedition." Civil and Military Gazette.

WINTER FREAKS BRING MANY CALAMITIES

Northern Japan Shivers As Tokyo Areas Go Thirsty SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

SHANGHAI, Feb. 19 (UP).—The severest winter of the century is inflicting heavy toll of human lives in various parts of the Far East. China is particularly suffering

in this respect, but the effects on Japan's industrial and agricultural life are said to be the more noticeable.

50,000 Chinese, most of whom were severe. underfed refugees concentrated in cities such as Shanghai, have perished. In Shanghai alone, 4,000 dled during the week ending January 28. extensive.

Bumper Rice Crop Hopes Chinese economists are optimistic, heaviest snowfall for 60. years, in | The other injured sailors are reclaiming that the snowfall will be some places the drifts being 25 feet ported to have a fair chance for reconducive to another bumper rice deep.

Communications have been interrupted only for brief intervals. Shanghal, however, has suffered killed as a result of avalanches.

their oil from Russia. Besides, attractive as the German are giving prominence to reports the power has been curtailed as a invitation must be, that he should showing that British engineers are result of a shortage in the reservoirs. LONDON, Feb. 18 (UP).—Accord- help himself to the rich British- busy building defensive roads in the troops wanting to make a drive in Italy, too, could hardly tolerate a Referring to this the "Asahi Russo-German upbenval in the Shimbun" says. "Never before in

from lack of heating as a result of high fuel costs. Coal has now reached the phenomenal price of 260 yuan per ton, and the coal industry, already disrupted as a resuit of the war, is seriously feeling the effects.

New industries in western China It is estimated that in the course have not been hit to the same extent of several recent brief waves of cold, because the winter there has not been

Japan Suffers

In Japan, deaths from the low The temperatures recently have not temperatures are estimated at 1,000. been excessively low and there have of which 700 were drowned when a Another German sailor from the been no blizzards. As a result losses Russian fishing boat grounded last Altmark died at Kristianssand to livestock and crops have not been December in the Soya Strait during a

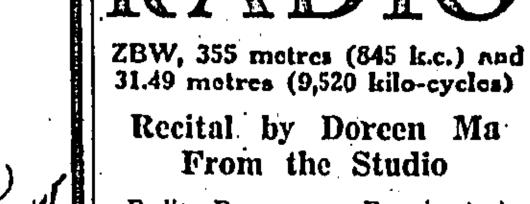
Northern Japan has seen the

the Altmark which remains aground. There has been a heavy destruction and disruption of communications and The man in the city streets in 78 people are known to have been

Western Japan has suffered from a More than 150 of the British prisoners Iran even now they prefer to buy drought unprecedented for the past released from the Altmark left 66 years. The drought is centred in hospital here this morning and And then there is always Britain the Tokyo, Osaka and Kobo inentrained for their homes. to recket, with. Italian newspapers dustrial areas, where 50 per cent. of suffering only from exhaustion.

As an example, the Yamaguchi re-

Western Japan."



Bertoldo,

midday."

"I SAY, didn't we Germans

NOW WHAT? St. Louis

Star-Times.

Nazi Death

Roll Seven

Casualty List In The

Altmark Affair

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

to-day, making the seventh Nazi

Most of the crew are still aboard

British Sailors Recover

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

EDINBURGH, Feb. 18 (UP).--

Many of those still detained are

One man under observation, was

The doctors says that the men withstood the hardships remarkably

thought to be suffering from lepresy.

but it is now believed that the original

fatality in this affair.

dingnosis was wrong

BERGEN, Feb. 18 (UP) .--

Russians in 1918?"

Milan.

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ther Report. 1,03 Derek Oldham (Tenor) and New Mayfair Orchestra.-1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Compositions of Grieg .- Peer 2.15 Close down. 6.0 "For the Children." 6.30 Closing local Stock Quotations 6.32 An hour of Variety with Jack Savage and His Cowboys, Frances Day, Leslie Hutchinson, Clapham and

Dwyer, and Others, 7.30 London Relay-The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 This week's programmes. Studio-Plano Recital by

Dorcen Ma. Is that the way to treat a Sweetheart; Waltz Medley.—(a) Roses of Picardy; (b) The World is Walting for the Sunrise; (c) When Irish Eyes are Smiling; Over the Rainbow; It took a Million Years; I Cried for You. 8.25 Primo Scala's Accordeon

Hawailan Music.—Smiling Eyes; Hawalian Love Bird; King Nawahi's Hawaiians; Drifting and Dreaming; Chiquita—Waltz; Hawaiian Guitar Ducts by Ferera and Paaluhi; A Little Rendezvous In Honolulu— Hawailan Fox-Trot; Honolulu Stars and Hawailan Gultars, Hawailan Fox-Trot, Roy Smeck & His Hawaiian Screnaders; My Little Grass Shack In Kealakekua; Hilo Hanakahl; Kanul & Lula-Hawailan

Novelty. 9.05 Waltzes. London Relay-News Sum-

9.30 London Relay-This Flee-

the Finns against the dom — 1.—Talks by Sir William Beveridge and G.D.H. Cole. "Silly ass, that time it was 9.45 "Folk Music of Many Nations" against Lenin and the Bol--1: English.-The Comical Fellow; Folk Dance Band cond. by Ronnie sheviks." Trots Alt, Stockholm. Munro; The Berkshire Tragedy; A Sad Enling; Oliver Cromwell; Our Bill (F. H. Grisewood) with Piano; The Tempest; Thady You Gander; Folk Dance Band conducted by Ron-

nie Munro.

10.0 Coleridge Taylor-Three Dream Dances.-London Palladium Orchestra conducted by Clifford Greenwood. 10.10 Selections from Gilbert &

Sullivan's "Iolanthe," 10.28 Some Old Dance Favourites. 11.0 Close down.

Another Two Ships Caught NAZI SCUTTLERS CAUGHT NAPPING

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP) .--Attempts by German ships in many neutral ports to reach Germany are proving disastrous warships, for the ships concerned.

It is estimated that at least fifteen left various ports last week in obedience to Hitler's instructions. Of these, several have been scut-

tled, and two captured. To-day, a further two are added to cargo of manganese ore.

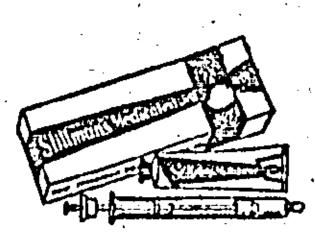
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Seven officers and 23 men have entrained for an internment camp.

the list of ships captured by British They are the 2,452-ton Rostock and the 1,927-ton Morca, The crews did not have time to

carry out Hitler's "scuttle and burn" Abourd the Morea was a valuable

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DEATH

ALVES.—At her residence, 302 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, at 3.30 n.m. on February 19, 1940, Carmen Soares, aged 54, dearly beloved wife of Chevalier Jose Miguel Alves. Funeral will leave the house at 4 o'clock to-morrow, (Feb. 20) passing the Monument, Hongkong, about 5.15 p.m.

Monday, February 19, 1940. Wyndham St., Hongkong Telephone: 26615

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Blockade Power

In the list of materials destined for Germany but detained by our Ministry of Economic Warfare we have proof of success which betters expectation. It has been cepted by the Allied contraband griffins. tenance of armaments are still piling up. The fundamental weakness of Hitlerism's policy of aggression is that in all the materials which modern warfare singularly poor. The list of cap- point of view. tures shows at once the extent of the dependence of German military effort on supplies which she cannot obtain from contiguous countries and the power of the blockade to stop supplies from overseas. In two months 87,540 tons of petroleum and 81,500 ton of iron ore were captured, tens of thousands of tons of manganese and aluminium ores, great quantities of copper, lead; and zinc, and valuable amounts of rarer metals necessary in munitions. Materials for explosives and war stores bulk large in the list. The blockade has been specially effective against armament imports, and its effect is far greater than the figures exhibit. What is selzed we can compute. What Germany had contracted for but found no shipping to bring must be a far larger

There is no source from which the Fuchrer's ministers can make and if the transport can be created, may supply some petroleum and perhaps sufficient manganese. But for the rest, her cupboard is bare. The Reich is isolated from ports are lost. Such is the understand what is meant by the the countries which in the first half of the year supplied her with half her imports. We know that nothing was being imported which could possibly be produced in Germany and Austria and Czechoslovakia. These overseas imports The Reich is now unable to export large; and aircraft carriers, to men-enough to take her place in the "line of battle" when faced by the most were absolute necessities of the armament programme. As

RITA CANNON, the first woman racing correspondent, writing for the racing season fans, tells you

CAN'T RACE!

'M ONLY TWO

NEXT BIRTHDAY.

How

HE season has opened, and from among the scores of horses in training the supporters of the Turf will be looking for animals to provide them with the undoubted thrill of winning races at the right time.

But here is something I would like to believe that the public appreciated at its true value. All concerned with racing would benefit if people realised the fact that a pony is not a machine.

Just because a pony is feeling fit on his first outing and the luck of the race goes his way and he is able to win is no reason to accuse him of being a rogue or his jockey of being incompetent or even worse if he does not happen to win the second time he appears on a racecourse.

A Rest After Winning

OWNERS, trainers, and jockeys are all anxious to win as many races as possible. Naturally, they cannot always hope or even expect to do so.

At this time of the season trainers are particularly anxious to win quickly so as to find some line of form by which to judge the other ponies in their stables and to know how good or how backward they are.

Those ponies which will be running to-day, for instance, will be expected to win more races later on in the season. They have to earn their keep; and it is impossible to maintain a pony at concert pitch throughout the season.

Remember, a pony has to be tremendously fit, and the job of getting him so entails a great deal of clever, patient treatment on the part of his trainer and lot of exacting work on the part of the pony—work that tests him right up to his capacity.

given an easy time, and then for him. his next effort.

Difficult Griffins

DOZEN things may back. million ton have already been inter- the most difficulty are the ger of injury.

sistency of old performers just the other animal and keep alongbecause they happen to be well side him.

leaves the green fields of Austra- It is the trainer's and the with his hoofs.

From the moment a youngster majority seek company.

he has to be let down somewhat, ing stables, life is a bit difficult the man on his back.

speaking, the ponies with which gradually brought on until he of his forefeet. That's usually and, particularly, the breeding of announced that more than a both trainers and backers have can be galloped without any dan- a pony that can gallop.

These young ponies are grow- of that the average youngster gallops low and smooth, parti-umodities, essential to the main- ing during their two-year-old does not thoroughly realise what larly when the going is hard, as ing why not study it from-points... season; most of them do not is wanted of him. If he is being it is at present. know their work properly, and galloped with another pony, or yet the public expect them to more than one, his natural in-run with the steadiness and con-clination is to edge over towards

When a pony is really fit he lia and is taken through the is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young. Watch for the pony that looks is capable of doing his utmost, rather exciting experience of jockey's job to teach the young.

to obey it. After that he has to bet on. Watch the ponies walk-distracted by dozens of animals. submit to carrying a lad on his ing round the ring. Look out they have never seen before, and happen during that From then onwards he is built big, smooth stride and puts his the grandstand and enclosures. attempt. Generally up by walking and trotting, and hind feet down in the hoofmarks' Study the breeding of a pony

But even after a few months post. Look for the pony that have.

Watch These Points

MANY a good pony judged by the form-book.

standing fourteen DACING is a creent or hands looks about twelve when. bred and show a turn of speed. A few ponies of strong and he is galloping. He goes down objects is to improve steadily requires the territory of the Reich, with all that it has annexed, is singularly poor. The list of cappoint of view.

Let me give you a picture of dominating character may object and stretches himself. He does the breed of the racehorse. Don't not bound along like a deer wast-expect ponies to be banged and gallop alongside them, but the ing a lot of his time in the air leathered and knocked about just and slapping the ground hard to provide a winner for people-

OBJECTION BY THE COLT.

quality not always to be expected It is surprising how little a among the youngsters, who are brought up to fitness again for Then he has a bit put in his great number of people know seeing a racecourse for the first his next effort. mouth and is gradually taught about the horseflesh they like to time and having their attention: for the one that walks with a also by the noises and sights of

> the dams. Then throughout the Watch them going down to the season, watch how ponies be-

If you take an interest in rac-

book? Some of the greatest: racehorses are completely mis-

RACING is a great sport, and one of its chief

66 BIG SHIP-EASY TARGET, 99 But In This Case It Is-

of the fleet to-day. The main points in Nelson's day such a ship was

 B_{V} Vice-Admiral J. E. T. Harper, C.B., M.V.O.,

who compiled the official record of the Battle of Jutland. He comments in this article on an American admiral's condemnation of the 80,000-ton warship and gives his views on some of the points that govern Britain's naval policy. **************

WHAT should be the size of a battleship? It is reported that the United States has recently turned its if she chooses, if she will be paid back on the suggestion to build leviathans of 70,000 to 80,000 tons in favour of something less cumbersome.

> raised to a higher tension the improspect of Hitlerism in its first word "battleship." war winter. With the loss of through neutral countries or in neutral shipping."

When dimensions of this nature are strain on munition factories is spoken of it is not surprising that many ask if battleships are really necessary. First of all, we must

imports Germany has also lost gories of ships, ranging in size up- bombs from the air; under-water wards from the armed constal motor- protection to withstand attack from markets. Nearly half her export boat and mine-sweeping trawler; torpedo or mine; and as high trade was done with Britain and submarines; escort vessels; torpedo-speed as can then be produced. France and neutrals overseas, boot destroyers; cruisers, small and A ship, in short which is strong A battleship is the strongest unit powerful enemy fleet in existence.

AND COULTER Vice - Admiral Harper, who entered the Navy in 1888 was

for three years commander of the Royal yacht Victoria and

almed at are heavy guns, with long a range as possible; massive side and deck armour to protect the A navy must consist of many cate- vitals from enemy guns and from of battle" when faced by the most

A Target That Can Hit Back! called a "ship of the line," a terms

which has now given place to-"capital" ship.

Guarding Empiro's Food

IT will be seen, therefore, that theterm "capital ship" is not necessarily-

synonymous with battleship. At the-moment it is; but if battleships, as we know them, were abolished, thenext most powerful unit would automutically become the capital ship, orship of the line.

A nation such as ours, dependent: for its very existence on the sen, must maintain a navy capable of defending the seas. Geographically situated as we are, with parts of the-Empire joined not by land, but by sea highways; with millions who live. in the heart of the Empire-Britaindependent on imported food to save them from starvation, our naval needs: are for and away above those of a self-supporting continental nation.

But must this navy of ours contain. battleships? Are these powerful, but... expensive, leviathans really necessury? Should we put so many eggs into one basket?

. There is only one answer, Yes.' The battleship is the king-pin of the defence system of our Empire; or. in other words, "Britain's full-back." A fleet of battleships forms a solid. rampart of scapower, and acts as a protector of the weaker units: it is: the last and final word-our sure shield. If we were to abolish battle-

ships the remaining units of our fleet: PLEASE Turn To Page 3.

Treasury To Control Securities

Important Move Is Announced

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter). —The Treasury have announced an order transferring to them-selves all holdings by United Kingdom residents in 60 specified securities marketable in New York.

Holders will be re-imbursed in . sterling at the current New York price of currency and the official exchange rate plus accrued interest to

It is recalled that arrangements were made on the outbreak of war for registration with the Bank of England of all United Kingdom holdings of United States securities, and the present step aims at vesting a certain number of these securities in the British Treasury.

Not To Force Sales

The reason for this is to ensure that realisation of these securities in the

American market is orderly, and that the total volume of such sales from the United Kingdom, vested and noninvested, should continue over period of time at about the average of recent months. In addition to the present 60 securi-

ties, further vesting orders may be issued from time to time. "Reuter" learns that there is no desire to force sales. The list represents preliminary

mobilisation of certain securities with an active market. In no case do the securities re-

quisitioned form a big proportion of the total outstanding securities of the companies concerned. Precautionary Step

It is believed that the recent uncertainty has been worse for the United States market than the knowledge now given that the British Treasury has a definite long range Only a small proportion of the

total securities available are now requisitioned and the present list ex-cludes several important market counters. . . The step in no way indicates an actual or impending exchange shortage, but is a precautionary step taken

well in advance of any necessity.
Will Not Weaken Market If private sales continue at the recent volume, there may be no need

for official sales, though doubtless the opportunities of profitable marketing will be taken. Regulsitioning will probably have the effect of reducing sales.

It is pointed out that the British authorities obviously desire to obtain the best price possible and will not operate so as to weaken the market.

America Sells Idle Ships

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" NEW YORK, Feb. 18 (UP).-The sale of eight idle trans-Atlantic ships to-the Societe Maritime Anversoise, Finland within a few weeks. of Antwerp, has been announced by the American owners.

US\$4,000,000.

Harding, American Trader, American Traveller, American Banker, American Framer, American Importer, numerical superiority. American Merchant and American

vessels, will still maintain a minority predictions were not fulfilled. interest in them as a share-holder in the Belglan company.

NO DIFFERENCE

Naziism And Communism Speak As One

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The "Washington Post" on Saturday sald: "Anti-Communism has proved merely a cloak without basic meaning or substance. Indeed to-day there is extremely little to distinguish Nazi Germany and Communist Russia, which are like two peas in a pod. is no longer Communism but Capital- ed. ism which the Nazis regard as the real enemy.

"Germany and Russia now speak as one voice in the realm of ideology."

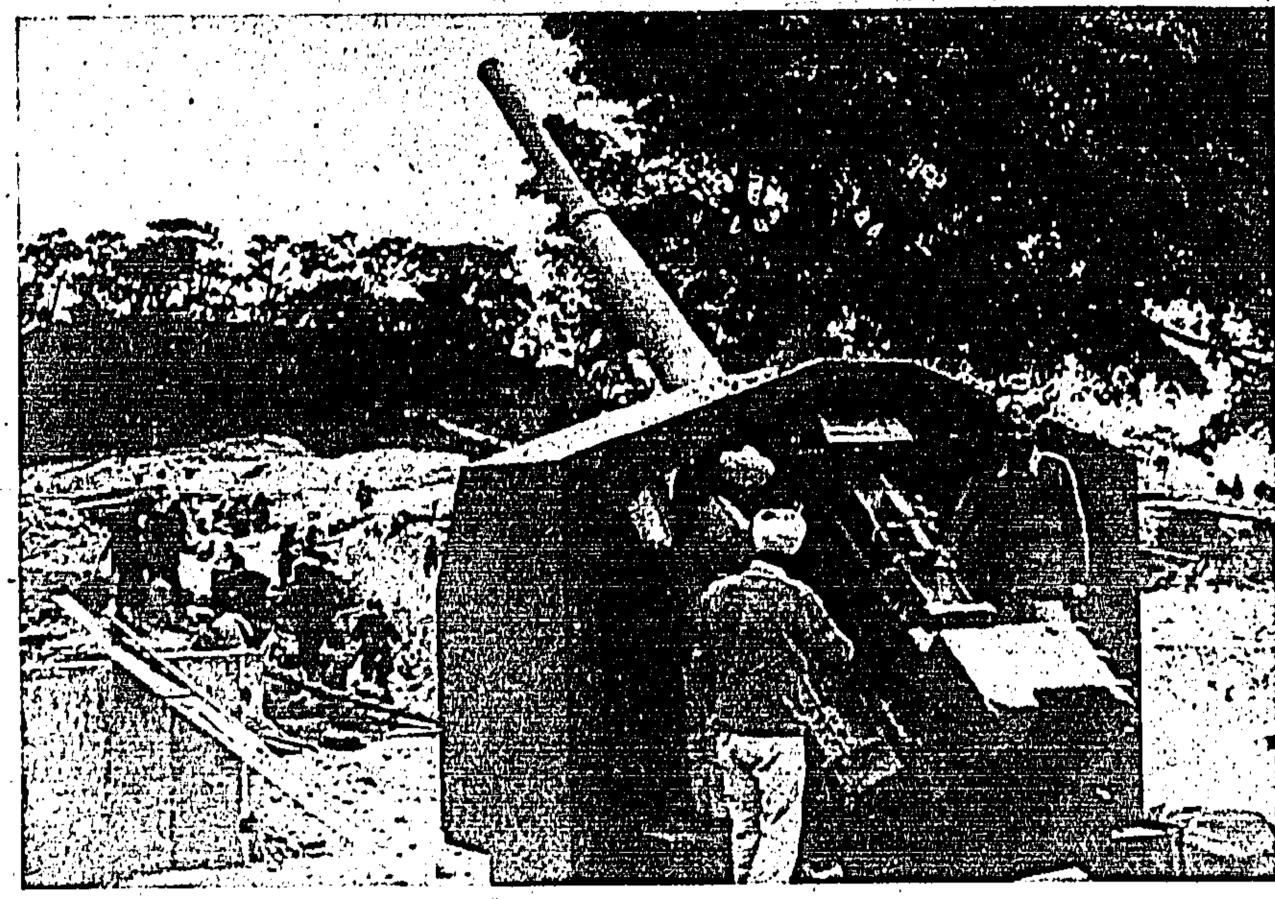
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ADS SPATSOLINA Protects died. aged 77. Restores Mambood and Vitalia

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cutters who had escaped arrest took

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Houston remarked that if people like

them were allowed to roam freely

Less heavy penalties were imposed

NAZI REQUEST

REJECTED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BOGOTA, Feb. 18 (UP).-The

German application for permission

of the crew of the steamer Mengo-

The Chinese refused to sail in the

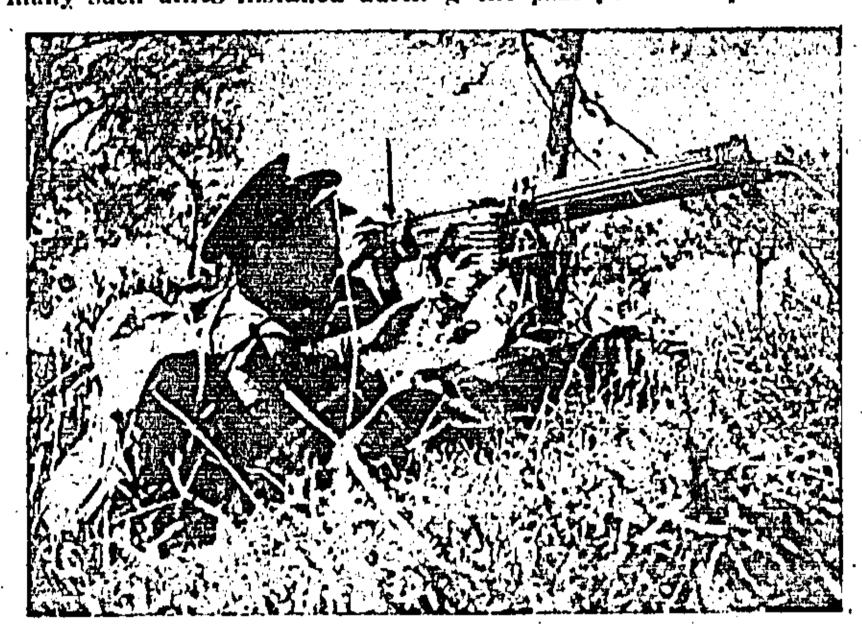
German vessel.

to send thirty German sailors to

them away during his absence.

soon be denuded of trees.

as a destitute.



A MACHINE-GUN CREW in action somewhere in Hong-

MOSCOW, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—A feeling is growing among the public here that the Red Army will over-run

This confidence is based partly The sale price is reported to be on official communiques, partly on stories from soldiers return-The vessels include the President ing from the front, and partly on appreciation of Russia's vast

Though the authorities probably share this optimism, they are not The U. S. Line, which owned the voicing it, possibly because earlier

Soviets Claim Successes

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" MOSCOW, Feb. 17. (Domei).-The Leningrad Command announced that Peak, Shaukiwan and Aberdeen dis- were destroyed. the Finnish forces in the Karelian tricts. Isthmus have suffered heavy losses as the result of the Soviet general offensive to-day.

Viborg. During the offensive, the ping, 38, unemployed, charged with spring and summer, it was pointed. will not occur in future. coast and a railway station.

Soviet troops on the Karleian front are now pursuing Finns along the entire front, the communique claim-

No striking activity was seen in other fronts. Soviet aircraft cooperated with their ground forces and bombed the Finnish troops and posi-

Finnish Communique HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). To-day's communique announces to the police station, he went back war. Gulf of Finland and Vuaksen. Except for local 'skirmishes and

Many tanks were destroyed. In the Suvanto district and at Taipale, there was the usual artillery about the Colony, Hongkong would

vigorous air activity, the day passed

activity. Strong Points Captured On the north-east coast of Lake on the remaining defendants. Many Ladoga, Finnish forces repelled enemy were expelled from the Colony as attacks and captured some strong destitutes. points. They took eight guns, destroyed three tanks and about 70 convoy vehicles, and left 570 dead. In the Kuhmo sector there were skirmishes in which the enemy lost 130 killed.

Air Raid Slaughter HELSINGFORS, Feb. 18 (Reuter). -Forty were killed in a Soviet raid on one Finnish town on Saturday.

LONDON, Feb. 18 (Reuter),-The costermonger comedian, Gus Elen has

FIRE BIG FORESTS By HUBERT UEXKUELL

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Below we publ

("UNITED PRESS" STAFF CORRESPONDENT)

(UP).—Finnish military au- appailing. horities, to-day studied possi- were one or two factories. In one bilities of setting fire to the thick food for human consumption was beforests on the Eastern Frontier to repulse the Red Army.

ing thousands of men against the Mannerheim Line, attempting to slice the country in two sections and to penetrate Finnish defences in the north for two months, are in about the same positions as when they made their first rush across the border early in December. They hold considerably less of Finland than they did four weeks ago.

But the Finns realise that their greatest "ally"—the weather will soon be gone and new methods of defence will have to be ready. The longer and warmer days of

spring will enable the Russians to attack day and night, on the ground and in the air, while Finnish superlority on skils and with snow. camouflage will mean little.

Cossacks To Fight?

There are reports that the Soviets plan to put tens of thousands of mounted Cossneks in the field with

The most discussed plan calls for burning vast stretches of timber on the Eastern Frontier to confront The "Tairiku Shimpo" reports

Tang Ping, 33, unemployed, was The Russian attack will be com- The report said the protest will sentenced to four months' hard plicated by the muddy condition of demand an expression of regret and labour and recommended for banish- roads in the spring and numerous the punishment of "the perpetrators Setting fire to various villages, ment for the theft of two pine trees swamps which are now frozen. The of the brawl," together with payment Finnish troops have started retreat valued at \$40 from Stubbs Road near thick woods covering the country will of compensation for damages and towards Viborg and the area east of Mount Nicholson. Another man, Ho be difficult to penetrate, even in assurances that similar disturbances

villages in the Summa sector and in was sentenced to three months' hard front in the far north, Soviet losses attempted to settle the incident by western Karelia, two cities on the labour and expelled from the Colony have been tremendous in proportion offering 95 yuan payment to the cafe to the number of troops they have through the Municipal Police. thrown into the battle and the number

Sgt. Reddish said he had much In the air, the Russians have un- the cafe over "a civil matter" after difficulty in arresting defendants, questioned superiority, but it is not which they attempted to leave the owing to look-outs placed by these as great. The Finns attribute this cafe. thieves at various vantage points, gradual change to their constantly A fight ensued in which one soldier On Saturday, he spent two hours improving aerial defences and the was injured and taken to hospital. trailing the men before catching arrival of planes and volunteer pilots them. In the area where they were from abroad.

disappeared. Apparently wood- when the snow and ice melts. How- planes with wheels,

CLEARING OUT THE SQUATTERS

AS FORECAST by the "Telegraph" on Saturday, the Urban Council has acted swiftly in its campaign against squatters, following gazettal carlier this month of wider powers under the Emergency Regulations, which now permit eviction of unauthorised persons from Crown Land.

City area bounded by Grampian Road and Lion Hill Road, Urban Council officers, assisted by Police, took possession of several hundred buildngs this morning.

About four thousand people were evicted during the course of the morning and P.W.D. coolies immediately commenced work on destroying the buildings.

Camp Offer Rejected

Alternative accommodation at the Kam Tin refugee camp in the New Territories was offered to all those who were dispossessed but, at 11 a.m., few had accepted the offer. Most of the people desire to remain n the urban areas.

Amazing scenes were witnessed as the P.W.D. coolies commenced to tear down the buildings. Many of the ejected occupants returned to aid in the work of destruction, in order to salvage the wood and tin which had comprised their former homes.

Philosophical:

A "Telegraph" reporter could see

which Government is razing are pro-

Among the buildings demolished ing prepared,

Grampian Road residents have made several protests at the growth The Soviet forces, after hurl- of this new refugee town on the other side of their street.

Rent Ramp Disclosed

Enquirles by a "Telegraph" rethat most of the buildings now being demolished were erected by an charging the tenants exorbitant rentals for the privilege of living in the tenements in the area. The buildings had all been erected on agricultural land which, the "Telegraph" understands, was let by Government to farmers for the no-minal rental of five cents a lot.

SEAFORTHS IN AFFRAY

In Shanghai?

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" SHANGHAI, Feb. 18 (UP).—

owned cafeteria last Tuesday.

arrested, eight large pine trees were. The spring weather is not expect- ever, there is a short period in the found cut. After taking defendants ed to make much difference in aerial spring when neither pontoons nor skils are feasible because of the slushy that Russian pressure on the Karelian to the spot where some of the trees. The Finns plan to mount their ice. There are few landing places in Isthmus has weakened between the had been left, but found they had planes on pontoons, instead of skils, the north which are big enough for

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (UP).-Maybe this story isn't suspicious but-1.—It started with a radio 8.0.8 from the Japanese fishing trawler Kyushin Maru: 2,... A wireless message from another fishing vessel, the Fukochl Maru, relayed the story to-

5.—New York heard the story by radio and put it on the Far Eastern Government of Colombia has refused wires again.

> "Nothing has since been heard of the Kyushin Maru." FOOTNOTE: No Tokyo newspapers or news agencies carry the

Urban Council Acts Swiftly In K'loon

Swooping suddenly on the Kowloon

Grampian Road was piled high with their belongings.

no visible signs of distress among the dispossessed people who, forewarned a fortnight ago, accepted their situation philosophically.

Conditions in the small township

WITH THE FINNISH part of the Colony. There is no sewage and sanitary conditions are

porter this morning tend to indicate influential Chinese, who has been

Japan To Protest

A further batch of wood thieves were charged with thest and possession of wood before Mr. Houston at the Central Magistracy this morning. They were arrested in the Beat of the Woods burn until they beat forth Highlanders in a Japanese Peak Shaukiwan and Aberdeen dis-

Soviet forces have occupied many the theft of one pine tree worth \$50, Everywhere, except on the Petsamo | The report said the Scaforths value

It said that on Tuesday last the soldiers quarrelled with employees in

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

3.-Tokyo, which promptly put it on the wires to-4.—Berlin, So Berlin decided it was good propaganda and announced It over the radio from Zeesen.

And this is the story Zeesen told: "The Japanese fishing vessel Kyushin Maru, with a crew of 60 Colombia to replace Chinese members people, was stopped last Tuesday morning by a warship of unknown nationality and was boarded near the Philippine Islands.

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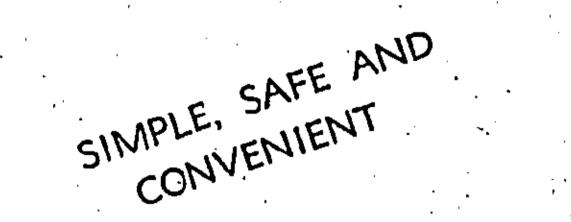
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BUS KILLS

An unknown Chinese boy of about 10 years of age was fatally injured when he was knocked down by a bus in Queen's Road East near Wellington Barracks yesterday.

Another Chinese, Chiu Ping-chuen, Police directions to wait for an inwas injured in an accident in Kowloon. He was knocked down in Castle Peak Road by a car, driven by Mr. Anatole Konorsky, residing Thursday evening.

in the Peninsula Hotel.

pital with head injuries.

HUNGARIAN SHIP

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TOKYO, Feb. 18 (Domei).—The ,000-ion Hungarian freighter Nyugat, of the Neptune Navigation Company, weighed anchor off the village of Suyeyoshi in 'Hachijo Island on February 11, disregarding

The ship appeared in the harbour of Milke in northern Kyushu on

Charged with a violation of port Chlu was taken to Kowloon Hos- regulations, the ship will be subject to police inquiries, it was announced.

CHINESE COMBINED

DEFEAT FOURTH

HONGKONG

Visitors Appear To Lack Confidence

(By "Rox")

A MAGNIFICENT and most valiant effort was made by Saigon at Caroline Hill on Saturday by to take away with them the memory of at least Post: one victory in this port, but they were defeated by an eleven comprising players taken from the various Chinese teams in the Colony, four goals to three.

Had the sun not played tricks with their goalkeeper, Tai, the three first half goals of the local team may not have been scored, and Saigon would probably have attained their desire.

A fact, which, I daresay, has! escaped most, is that in all four of their matches here, Saigon lost the toss and played against the sun.

Tai at goal for Saigon was less confident than in his previous matches. Lobs appeared to worry him considerably, and though he gave glimpses of his dashing self, these were few and

far between. second goal was chalked up against terday. bolstering up the attack, and succeeded very well.

He did not always have the better second half, rid himself of it in of Cheuk in the first half, but bottled haphazard fashion. him up completely in the second, and gave great support to the forwards. fai as effectively as could be wished, account of themselves. Taken He allowed him a goal and quite all in all, however, they were

Ven was the best half on view for Saigon. He smothered most of the Police forwards seemed to have upset their equilibrium.

Owlnow to indicate their continuation. him to play to his halves.

BEST PERFORMANCE

GUICHARD gave his best per-valuable assistance to Hsu King-the more dangerous winger, he was what attack the Police had. the one who took the most shots at -- Eastern's - forwards -- too, -- did -- not goal. He had little support from seem to function in the same fashion Buu who appeared out of place. Buu as when they met Salgon last week. passed too fur in front, and when Cheung Kam-hoi was not seen to Guichard retrieved the ball he was advantage. Chung Yun-sum came in either too spent to dribble or take for periodical runs down the wing, a strong enough kick. Tot was a which delighted the spectators, be-

was again the speedlest player on raids and results.
view, but his ball control was in- McHardy at goal was safe only view, but his ball control was in- McHardy at goal was safe only ferior to anything yet seen. He very with the high shots. He let PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

Police Fail Against Eastern

(By "Rex")

His dejectedness made its influence | The robust methods of the felt with Corea and Cui. Cui in Police failed to impress and was practically useless to his Eastern, and they went on forwards, besides being almost alto score four goals, Police ways beaten by Tang. Corea to score four goals, Police seemed the only player in the defence replying only once, in a very whose spirits refused to be dam-pened. He, however, was guilty of some lackadaisical play after the Hongkong Club ground yes-

Lee Shek-yau been pitted against The frequent blowing of him more disastrous results might the whistle wore on the have resulted. In the second half he completely ignored Lee, and con- nerves of Police, who passed centrated his entire attention towards from one blunder to another.

Lau Hin-hon did not relish But was moved up to inside-right holding the ball for any length making way for Bach, who played of time and, particularly in the a good spoiling game at right-half.

Kong Seng-keng and Tsang Pacini did not cover Chan Tak- Chang-wan rendered a good

was unable to turn out, and was substituted by Tseng Ying-kuen, who, together with Lo Wal-kuen, gave

hard worker, but had no reliance in his shooting, and was over-fond of short passing in front of goal, spoiling all his chances of shooting.

Tien was a live-wire in front of goal, but was very often too clever. Like Tot he had the failing of tryling to walk the ball into goal. Hon was negative the speedlest player on raids and results.

Which delighted the speedlators, Decause of the speed and nice body swerve. Lee Tack-kee played better than for a long time. He led his men well and appeared more sure of himself than heretofore. Wu let the list of owners and how they stand following the first day on Saturday:

Circ 1. Dunbar 1.

PLEASE Turn To Page 9.



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SELECTIONS BY

"Capt. Foster" Selects The Following:

FOOCHOW CUP Confusion Bay Evo of Harvest

LUSITANO CUP

Navylight

Melody Star

Contact

Racylight

Possible |

"EARLY BIRD" PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION) The following selections were made y "Early Bird" in the S. C. M. Sen Jay

FOOCHOW CUP

Confusion Bay Navylight Eve of Harvest

> PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION)

Ascot Day, Sen Jay

LUSITANO CUP

Racylight White Dlamond Marber's Elect

GARRISON CUP

Rose Evelyn Celtic Star Musketeer

KARA KARA HANDICAP Murray River, Macquarie River

> AMOY HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

King's Warden

Humdrum Eve MELBOURNE CUP

Lucky Lad A Grand Time

Baffin Bay HONGKONG DERBY

Satinlight Burford

> Cralgavad AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Oak Bay Jennifer

Potentate | WAKOOL HANDICAP

Amber II Violet Queen Strathearrick

> PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION)

Viceroy Lucky Lady Sparrow

DAILY DOUBLE Lucky Lad /Oak Bay

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S. M. K	1	
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J. G. Whittaker	-	
S. T. Williamson	-	
Eve	<u></u>	
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"Rex" on Saturday with interest, and must ogree that the position needs clarifying. May I suggest that the following interpretation of Law 12 could, with advantage, be copied out and hung in all dressing rooms of players:

If you must charge an opponent, be sure that your charge is a fair one, and made only when you are making a definite attempt to play the ball. If the ball is not within playing distance and you charge an opponent merely to keep him off the ball, you will be penalised.

French

LISLES, Feb. 18 (Reuter).—The British Army football XI beat the French Army XI by 2-1 to-day in the third match of the series, and have thus won the "rubber."

WINNER? TO-DAY'S DERBY



Satinlight (R. B. Moller up) being led in by Mrs. V. V. Needs and Mrs. Johannessen after winning the Trial Plate in effortiess fashlon on Saturday. Mr. Eric Moller, the proud owner, is walking alongside. The pony's performance wained for her considerable backing for the Derby to-day .--

SELECTIONS BY "LAST QUARTER"

The following selections were made by "Last Quarter" in the Hongkong Dally Press:

PERTH PLATE

(FIRST SECTION)

LUSITANO CUP

GARRISON CUP

KARA KARA HANDICAP

AMOY HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION)

MELBOURNE CUP

HONGKONG DERBY

AMOY HANDICAP

(SECOND SECTION)

WAKOOL HANDICAP

PERTH PLATE

(SECOND SECTION)

DAILY DOUBLE

LEADING

JOCKEYS

The following is the list of lockeys

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and how they stand after Saturday's

R. B. Moller 3

D. Black 1

B. L. Tao 1

H. J. A. Hearne ... 1

C. Encarnacao 1 H. C. Plh 1 V. V. Needa -

B. A. Proulx —
G. P. Gram —
W. H. Davies —
S. C. Llang —

L. B. Chno -Ip Kul-ying -

P. Y. T. Wei 2 3

FOOCHOW CUP

Confusion Bay Navylight Eve of Harvest

Dupont Bay . •

Rose Evelyn

Twilight Star

Humdrum Eve

Baffin Bay

Lucky Lad

Burford

Satinlight

Spicylight

A Grand Time

Lancashire Lad

Peaceful View

Violet Queen

Many Thanks

Baffin Bay/Jober

Macquarle River.

Poconos

Dick Turpin

Musketeer

Celtic Star

Brutus

Lilliber

Galaxy

White Diamond GARRISON CUP

Musketeer Sea Jay Rose Evelyn Ascot Day Celtic Star Contact

KARA KARA HANDICAP Strathcarrick Racylight Brutus Possible

Discovery Bay AMOY HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION) Lilliber

King's Warden Bear Claw

MELBOURNE CUP

A Grand Time Lucky Lad Winfred

HONGKONG DERBY Burford

Satinlight Mount Hope Bay

AMOY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION) Jennifer

Roso Fiana Oak Bay

WAKOOL HANDICAP

Macquarle River Violet Quéen

PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION) .

Connicber Albury

Many Thanks

DAILY DOUBLE A Grand Time/Jennifer.

EDITOR

Sir.—I have read your article by

Play the Ball all the time.

, W. M. GLOVER.

British Army Again Beat

S. W. Pan -ARMSTRONG-GARCIA BOUT POSTPONED - ONCE MORE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18 (UP).—
The State Boxing Commission have postponed the Armstrong-Garcia bout once more, and have set the date at March 1 because of a rope burn recelved by Garcia on his leg while training last week

Doctor W. L. Carver said that the sore looked like a boil. Commissioners Jules, Covey, Everett and Sanders have accepted Dr. Corver's

Eddle Mead, Armstrong's manager, said, "Garcia is trying to run out on

Junior Golf Championship

The semi-final of the junior cham-pionship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was played at Fanling yester

J. W. Mayhow beat . W. L. Alexander 6 and 3 and H. N. Williamson received a walk over from N K. Littlejohn who scratched.

BEAT SAIGON Entries and Handicaps For To-Morrow

The following are the entries and handicaps for the events to-morrow:

VICTORIA STAKES

12.00 noon.-Bear Claw. Blue Ex- (155). press, Confusion Bay, Conquering Time, Desert Chief, Eve of Harvest. Galaxy, Happy Eve, Hyndford Bridge, Jennifer, Joher, King's Warden, Lilliber, Navylight, Racylight. Red Feather, Rob Roy, Rose Emily.

Attacking Time (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Burford (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber (161), Clember (161), Charlesber (161), Clember (161), Common View (161), Cralgivad (161), Dingo (158), Distinctive Time (161), Dupont Bay. (161), Eve of Dancing (161), Eve of Folly (158), Eve of Hunting (158), Eve of Peace (168), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of R (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (161), Gretber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (101), Jane Doc ing (161). Racylight (161), Resisting Time (158), Ronson (158), Rose Royber (101), Satinlight (101). White Diamond (158).

CANBELEGO HANDICAP

1.00 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella tional Victory (140), Rising Star (155), (185), Rooidy (152), Snowy River (155). (149), Sydney Lad (155), Victory Day (152).

ROYAL NAVY CUP

Time (163), King Kong (168), Mus- (140), Good Morning (168), Lancaketcer (157), Smiling Thru (161), shire Chap (148), Matador (161), Strathbannock (168), Tiny Tim Melcor (145), Phoenix (152), Popu-(155) Tribute (101).

ALBURY STAKES

(FIRST SECTION) 3.00 p.m.-A Green, Time (152), Alfber (155), Australian Diamond (155), Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152), Cairntoul (155), Cheerful Star Vicercy (155), Winnle (155).

KILLARA HANDICAP

Rising Star (135), Rooldy (152), Snowy River (149), Sydney Lad

CHEEFOO HANDICAP

(FIRST SECTION)

4.00 p.m.—Bistre (100), Chatterbox (155), Dekko (146), Double Chance (146), Estover (146), Gold Coln CHATER CUP

(153), Golden Cow (150), Kut
Cheung (160), National Guard (140),
Night View (163), Oranjo (Boven
(153), Plet Hein (152), Plain View

AND SPORTS CLUB CUP

4.30 p.m.-A Good Time (152), A (161), Johnber (158), Lauraber Green Time (152), Altber (155), (161), Lending Time (161), Little Amicus Curine (155), Ascot Day Princess (155), Lusitania (161), (155), Australian Diamond (155), Mount Hope Bay (161), Olibway Big Wedge (155), Busylight (152). (161). O'Lan (158), Omaha (161), Cairntoul (155), Catterick Bridge Oomph (158), Osage (155), Patricia (152), Cheerful Star (155), Circo (161), Possible (158), Prince Charm- (155), Connieber (152), Contact (152), Fair Chance (155), Far View (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch-Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), man (152), Forehand Drive (152), (101), Satinlight (101), Franklin (155), Grand Allegiance Wings (101), Smashing (152), Income Tax (155), Jungle Through (101), Spleylight (181), Princess (152), King's Caprice (155), Kitti (152), Lucky Lady (155), Many Thanks (155), Maple Star (152), Melody Star (155), Mint Julep (152). Nancy Lee (152), Perola d'Oriente (152), Powerful Kid (155), Princess (165), A Ronring Time (165), Atlas Ciaro (152), Quick Despatch (155), (155), Centre Court (155), Happy Radon (155), Sapper (155), Sea Jay Landings. (152), King's Privilege (155), Shuttlecock (152), Sparrow (152), Murrumbidgee (135), Na- (152), Vanity Fair (155), Viceroy (155), Warrego River (152), Winnie

CHEEFOO HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

5.00 p.m.-Ascot Vale (168), Bres-1.30 p.m. — Celtic Star (165), say (158), Desert Star (168), Ebony Clowner (155), Double Chance (168), Idol (148), Emergency Call (140), February Fourth (158), Gulnness February Fourth (155), Fel Ying lar Star (145), Portrush (165), Radium Star (143), Starlet (140), Sunshine Susic (148), Talkative (103), Tiny Tim (148), Wild Bear

RACING STAKES

5.30 p.m.—Alexandria Bay (161), (155), Circe (155), Fair Chance Attacking Time (158), Blue Skies (155), Finalist (155), Flying Dutch- (158), Bronze Arrow (161), Burford man (152), Franklin (155), Grand (161), Care Free (161), Charlesber Allegiance (152), Income Tax (155), (161), Clember (161), Craigavad King's Caprice (155), Many Thanks (161), Distinctive Time (161), Du-(155), Maple Star (152), Perola pont Bay (161), Eve of Dancing d'Oriente (152). Quick. Despatch (161), Eve of Folly (158). Eve of (155), Radon (155), Sea Jay (155), Hunting (158), Eve of Peace (158), Shine Again (155), Sparrow (152), Eve of Reason (161), Eve of Rest Springhurst (152), Vanity Fair (155), (158), For All Time (161), Forty Three (158), Gay Star (101), Gret-ber (161), Hillsboro Bay (155), Hopeful Star (161), Jane Doe (161), 3.30 p.m.—Ajax (147), Annabella Johnber (158), Kentucky (155), (165), A Roaring Time (165), Atlas Lauraber (161), Law And Order (155), Blandford (157), Bredon (155), Centre Court (155), Derby Day (155), Happy Landings (152), King's—Privilege—(152),—Murrum—bidgee (135), Pumpernickel (152), PLEASE Turn To Page 9.

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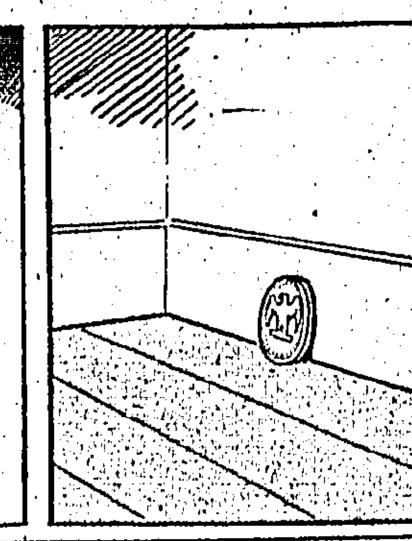
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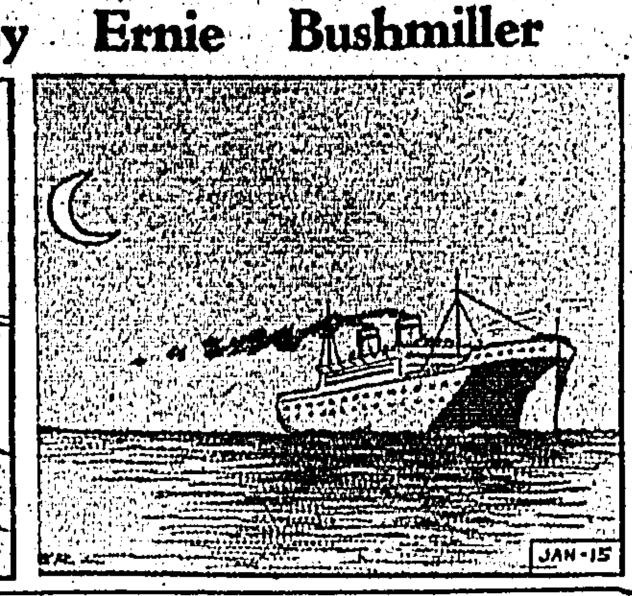
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Another notable absentee for Police was Searle, a performances to date. He cleared several times coming through the never approached above mediocre strongly and in great style with both strongly and in great style with both colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went strongly and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. Hsu obtained possession to his feet, and his passes seldom went colours. stand off half, and was to easily beaten by Waite, who to the wrong man. Lee Tin-sang send a long pass to Fung who nodded evaded his high tackles with case.

line-outs, and Innes in the loose.

ARMY SUBSTITUTES

often as possible. Sutherland, be- the bud.

sides hooking well, was to the fore

IN A FEATURELESS GAME on

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were mediocre individually and poor

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21920). mitted in either enclosure during the pack, which had the better of things first four days of the Meeting. No up forward. Carruthers was an amahs will be allowed on the Fifth enterprising stand-off half, who made

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will forfelt the same and will be to their score, when Brierley, coming removed from the Enclosure.

By Order. C. B. BROWN.

Secretary. Hongkong, 11th February, 1940;

Saigon Suffer Fourth Defeat In Hongkong

(By "Rex")

(Continued from Page 8.)

often over-ran the ball or could not but in a sudden spurt Hau managed little scope. North was at times too check himself in time to centre to boot the ball out on almost the slow but used his body to good ad-Gulchard wasted a golden oppor- Brooks seldom had the better of tunity of opening for Salgon soon Cheung who later desisted from go-

seen in attack, whilst they were late in getting up in defence, and late in getting up in defence, and high grabbing. Wall was safe at full-lated badly. inte in getting up in defence, and its from all parts of the field. He brought the ball well upled deleted up to force Eastern on shouldered the work of Leung Wing-lock for Police, and he must be back for Police, and he must be back for Police, and he must be conditived with Wilson as being the defensive. The shouldered the work of Leung Wing-lock for Police back to tackle hard and of injury, and allowed Saigon very found Leslie, so Wilson played low.

Wright-Nooth was prominent in a few passages to the goal area. The work of Leung Wing-lock for Cheuk to beat Tai for the defensive. The field the third time.

SAIGON SCORE

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The provided with the defensive area and the tree-k Wright-Nooth was prominent in a Kam-hung found Tien a sight too were rewarded when Buu dodged tage, and, from a centre by Wong too easily thred Police pack, which clusive for him, but managed to Hsu to send Guichard off with a Man-kwal, Howlett threw himself at with few exceptions did no backing worry him enough at times to put clear field. Guichard ran in and the ball and headed it in. up at all. Dempsey featured in the him off his shots. FASTEST FORWARD

I forward for the Chinese, and got bent and centred right into Salgon's Eastern with a grand shot from 35 and Coombe, who were substituted in some fine centres which were goalmouth. Tai misjudged the ball just turned to good account by Fung and Chan dashed in to make certain just by Ford and Marsh. With Suther- Chan. Fung King-cheong was try- of the already scored goal.

In to put be land on top in the light scrums, the ling very hard, but finding Ven a Saigon was undismayed with this by Chung.

GAM Army backs saw much of the ball, brick wall, played back more often so early reverse on top of the large Army backs saw much of the ball, played back more often and generally an opening was made by Waite for his three-quarters to carry on. Birrell used his long legs to advantage on the wing, as also did February, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 21st the february, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 24th February, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 24th February, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 24th February, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 24th February, the first bell will be run at 12.00 NOON. On Saturday, 24th February, the first bell will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. The first bell will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. The first bell will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. The first bell will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the will be after the will be run at 2.00 p.m. The fifth interval will be after the believe they had to reduce. They were scored which the chindre. They make the same dashing centre and object the field. They pressed to the field. They pressed to the flead. They pressed to the flead. They pressed to the flead to red

In the loose. Millar was prominent THE Chinese were pressing almost other, and their final goal. Members are reminded that they by in foot rushes.

In their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

In the foot rushes in the fo

gave a nice though subdued exhibi- the ball to Chan. Pacini was in attendance, but Chan managed to Hsu King-seng faced the brunt of evade him and beat Tai with a tricky WI and Pile substituted for him at With their halves out of gear, Taylor against him in the second the Saigon attack, and came through shot high in the corner of the net. | goal. Eastern took advantage of the Police three's were seldom period, and although the big with flying colours. His 'roving Hsu stopped the Saigon attack al- Police's ten men to stage a series of

> beat Cheung with an unstoppable Eastern attacked through Chung shot from close in.

TANG Kwong-sum was the fastest Lee had a tussle with Bach whom he pletely by surprise, equalised for

wisely gave their wings the ball as and most of the work was nipped in from seven yards out.

efforts and were rewarded with an- McHardy's boot and was deflected in line-ups and in the loose, especial- I from the whistle and Tai was | Tot received from a clearance by allowed after consultation with the

Birrell, Berry and Liarsh converted the ball to Fung's feet for the latter covered and sent in a weak shot, the and beat McHardy with a wellone try each.

Taylor kicked a good penalty goal to beat Tal with a first timer, open—ball dribbled over the goal line.

Salgon.—Tai: Corea, Cul; Bach, Pacini, ing the scoring three minutes from Ven; Gulchard, Buu, Tot, Tlen and Hoa. the whistle.

Combined Chinese.—Cheung Wing-choi:

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax for the Meeting. (ladies \$5.00 and \$20.00 respectively) are obtainable through the Secretary upon the written or personal introduction of a member, such member to be responsible for all chits aft. BRITISH AID OF

DEFEATING T. C. Monaghan and Miss M. Griffiths. 4-2 in the final, Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. Litton yesterday won the American mixed doubles tennis tournament on the On no pretext will children be per- n good example to a forceful Club Hongkong Cricket Club courts in aid of the British War Organisation Fund. Fifty-six pairs participated and the tournament was divided into five sections.

ORGANISATION

hai badminton, were winners of Griniths. and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu, win- Mrs. A. E. Grasett distributed the cess (152), Kitti (132), Longdon

the wing, received few opportunities, and Mrs. C. H. R. Hyde, winners of partners received cigarettes and Again (155), Warrego River (152). A helty Navy pack had the better green section, in the semi-final 4-3. bottles of liqueur. In the bottom half of the draw Ho British War Organization Fund seknow-

unconverted try through Rutherford. The two last ones were converted by Lid., Dodwell & Col. Ltd., Tabaqueria

Decima Eardley, who is better ment, surprisingly beat Lee Wal-tong Derby (152), Catterick Bridge (152), known for her exploits in Shangas a compination, white passing the known for her exploits in Shang- too good for Monaghan and Miss Comedy Star (155), Connieber (152), their own line was frequent and the known for her exploits in Shang- too good for Monaghan and Miss Comedy Star (155), Connieber (155),

FUND

smart dush for the line. Bowden, on winners of red section, beat Capt. ceived bottles of whisky, and their (152), Spring Again (152), Surprise The Enterteipment Committee of the

Passes for Servants will be issued ... Marshall and D. Hynes scored tries | Ka-lau and Mrs. Litton, making ledge prizes and done from John D. to Private Box holders ONLY on for Navy, the second being converted back and scored quick tries through Lane, Crewford, Ltd., Anderson, Mever Filipina, Caldbeck, MacGregor & Co. Ltd., When the game looked as good as Palmer, Davis, Marshall; Smart, Summer, newspapers for advertising, and the Hong. 1816 sees, Reuter, you by Navy. Club staged a corner. Mirray-Jones.

Eastern Beat Police 4-1

(Continued from Page 8.)

Blackburn was the better of the two backs, clearing cleanly and strongly. Chan Kong-yiu was too slow and was always beaten to the ball by Chung.

STEADY DEFENDER MOUGH stood head and shoulders U above both North, on the right, and Brooks, on the left. He covered Lee very well, and allowed him vantage in stopping diminutive Hau.

Hau Yung-sang was superb at right-back. He totally eclipsed Lee and Leung and Tal was tested through Hsu through the classed by the Eastern defence, and I and Leung and Tal was tested classed by the Eastern defence, and

who passed the ball backwards to Three minutes from the resumption Hsu who, catching McHardy com-

Just before half-time Hau dashed in to put Eastern ahead from a pass

GAME DETERIORATES

THE game deteriorated rapidly from

Salgon were making superhuman nice daisy cutter which struck into the net. This goal was dis-

> Eastern.-Lau Hin-hon; Kong Sengkeng, Tsang Chung-wan; Lo Wal-kuen, Hsu King-seng, Tseng Ying-kuen; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hol, Lee Tak-kee, Wu Gay-tsang and Hau Ching-to. Police,—McHardy; Blackburn, Chan Kong-yiu; North, Gough, Brooks; Wong Chl-man, Howlett, Wong Man-kwal, Fer-

rier and Pile.

ENTRIES AND HANDICAPS

(Continued from Page 8.)

(161), O-Lan (158), Osage (155), Patricia (161), Prince Charming (161), Racylight (161), Resisting Time (158), Ronson (158), Rose Charming (161), Rose Elegant (161), Rose Perfect (161), Royber (161), Silver Wings (101), Smashing Through (101), Victoria (101), White Diamond (158). Xenophon (161). **ALBURY STAKES** (SECOND SECTION)

6 p.m. - A Good Time . (152), B. O'M. Deane and Miss their first appearance in the tourns- Albury (155), Amicus Curiae (155), Contact (152), Far View (155), Forehand Drive (152), Jungle Prin-Soldiers and Sallors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

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Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc., good length ball to find the safe will not be permitted to operate touch on every occasion. His try touch on every occasion. Kong Jockey Club during the Race backing up after a loose ball and a Monaghan, and Miss Grimths, members of section winners re- (155), Snoper (155). Shuttlecock

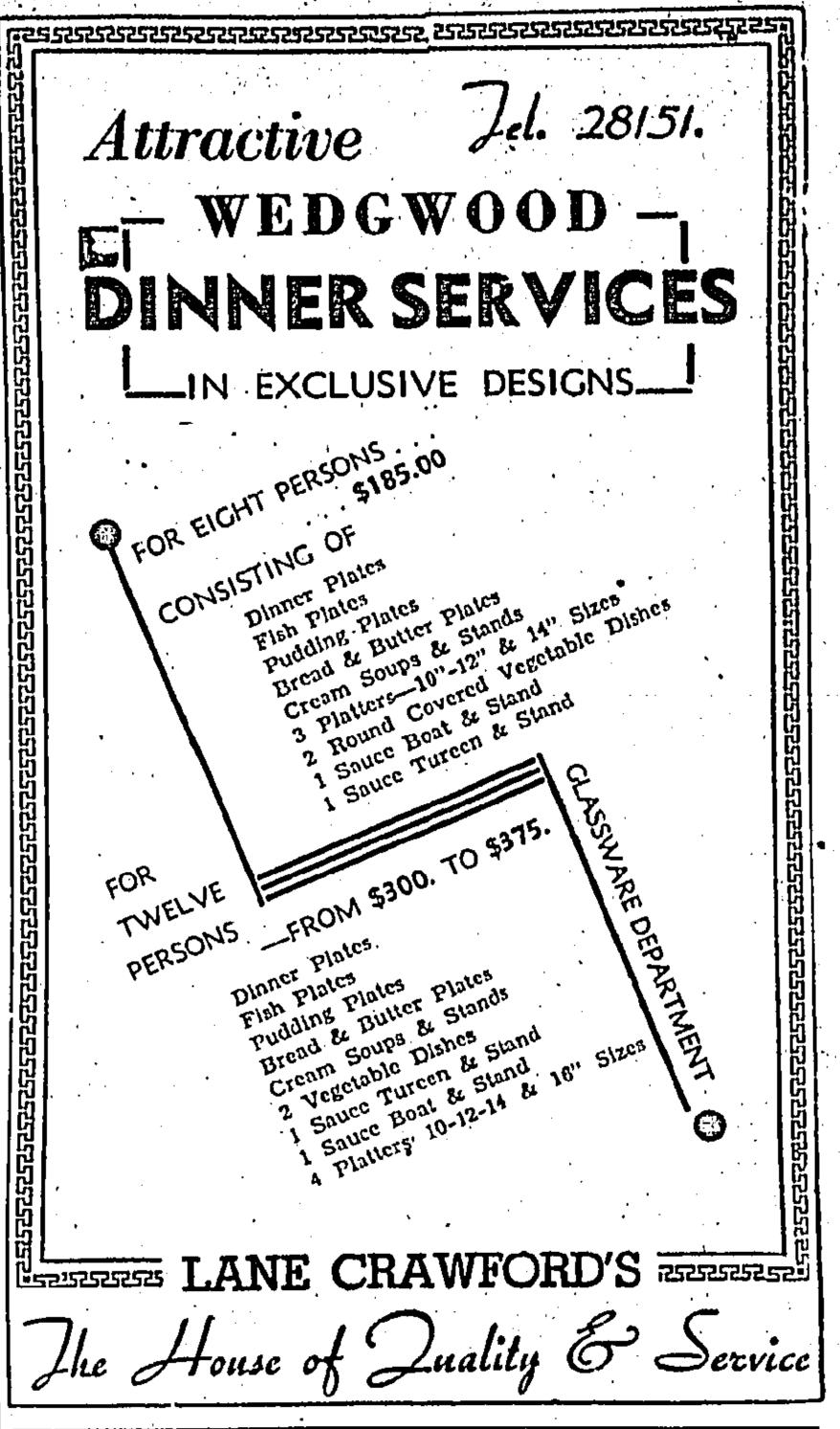
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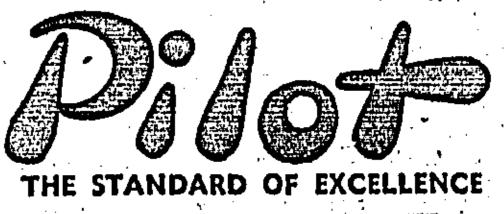
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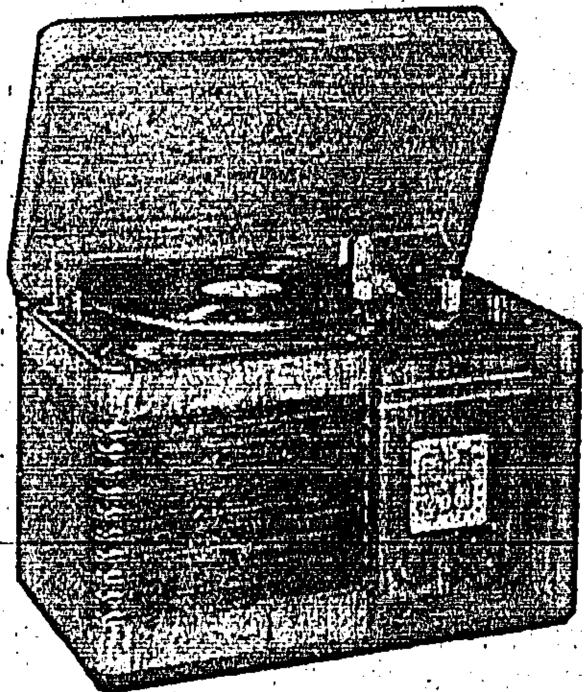
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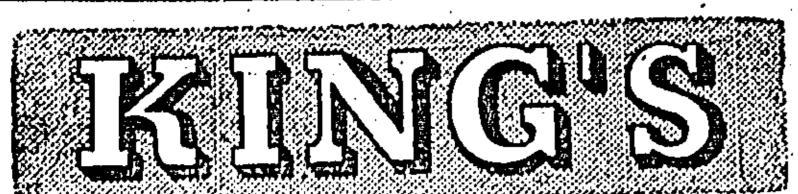
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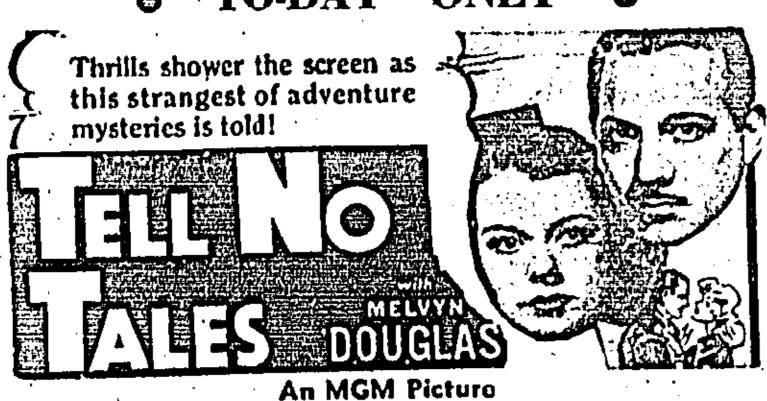
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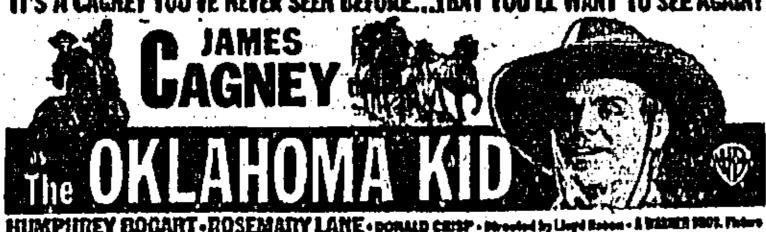


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THE RESULTS

L. Dunbar's CONFUSION BAY 159 1b.

Cire's NAVYLIGHT 161 lb. (R. B. Moller) 3 Four Starters. Won by two lengths; half a length.

Eve's EVE OF HARVEST 148 lb.

Time.-2.22. Pari-mutuel.-Winner \$7.20, Places \$5.60;

2,—12.10 P.M.—PERTH PLATE.—(First Section).—Winner \$1,000. Second \$400. Third \$250. For Australian Ponies, Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners 10 lb. penalty. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. One Mile. Ellandee's CONTACT 152 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 1 Winner \$750. Second \$400. Unplaced ponies 4344, 986, 1140, 6988, 6267, 7037.

Dr. S. N. Chau's ASCOT DAY 155 lb. ... (L. B. Chao) 2 12 Starters. Won by six lengths; half a length.

Time.-1.46.2. Pari-mutuel.-Winner \$14.30. Places \$7.20; \$0.15; \$52.40. 3,-1,00 P.M.-LUSITANO CUP.-Pre-

sented by Members of the Club Lusitano, with \$1,000 added for Winner. Second \$400. Third \$250. For China Ponies, bona fide Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winner of the Maiden Stakes barred. Winners of other races 7 lb. penalty. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. From the 1% Mile Post (About Half Mile 170 Yards). Circ's RACYLIGHT 162 lb.

(R. B. Moller) Tang's POSSIBLE 158 lb.(Tang Man-wa) Diamonds' WHITE DIAMOND 158 lb...
(II. C. Pih)

Won by four lengths; two lengths. Time,-1:4.3 (Record). Parl-mutuel. \$6, Places \$5.30; \$6.30; \$6. 4.—1.30 P.M.—GARRISON CUP.—Presented by the Officers of the Garrison. with \$750 added for Winner. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of any Season. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners anywhere during 1939, of one race, 3 lb.; of two races, 5 lb.; of three or more races, 7 lb.; at this Meeting, 3 lb.; penalty. Jockey Allowance, Penalties accumulative. Entrance \$10., One

Eu Tong-sen's ROSE EVELYN 163 lb. ..
(C. Encarnacao) 3

Salvage Master also ran. Won by four lengths; two lengths. Parl-mutuel. -- Winner \$11.60. Places

5-3.00 P.M.—KARA KARA HANDI-CAP.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies classified "C" Class as at 31st December, 1930. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

G. Treverton's BRUTUS 158 lb.
(D. Black) C.W.K.'s *TWILIGHT STAR 140 15. Li Shiu Hang's *DISCOVERY BAY

145 lb. (P. Y. T. Wel)

* Dead Heat. Eight Storters. Won by five lengths.

Parl-mutuel.-Winner \$7,70; \$9.50; \$8.20. 6,-3,30 P.M.-AMOY HANDICAP,(First Section).-Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponics classified "B" Class as at 31st December, 1939. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. Six

Furlongs.
Evo's EVE OF HEAVEN 156 lb.
(F. Marshall) Marber's *LILLIBER 152 15. (G. P. Gram)

Lan's HUMDRUM EVE 151 lb. (H. C. Pih) 2 Ten Starters.
Dead Heat for second place.
Won by two lengths; dead heat.
Time.—1.2.31.
Pari-mutuel.—Winner \$18.60. Places

Pari-mutuel,—Winner \$18.00. Places \$0.00; \$5.00; \$7.50.

7.—4.00 F.M.—MELBOURNE CUP.—Winner \$1,000. Becond \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponics of any Season. Weight 140 lb. Winners at any time of one race, 6 lb.; of two races, 10 lb.; of three or more races, 14 lb., penalty. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

Lucky's LUCKY LAD 154 lb.

(V. V. Needs) 1 (V. V. Needs) 1 L. Dunbar's BAFFIN BAY 150 lb. (H. J.A. Hearne) 2 Lady Northcole's DEVONIAN 150 lb. .. (D. Black) 3

Won by length and half; a length. Time.—2.14.1. Parl-mutuel.—Winner \$11.80, Places \$5,30; \$5.20; \$6.80,

WANCHAI BUS CRASH

Passengers on a bus travelling from fal Hang to Kennedy Town about 12.15 am. to-day received a revero shaking but were not injured when the vehicle was involved in a mishap in Queen's Road East. . When in the vicinity of the Grand

Theatre the bus ran into a funeral scatfolding and skidded round on the greasy surface of the road, the rear portion of the vehicle crashing into a pillar. The back of the bus was badly damaged.

LATE NEWS

(Continued from Page 1.) Following are the results: 1.—12.00 NOON—FOOCHOW CUP.— Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. A Handicap for China Ponies. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles. 9.—3.00 P.M.—AMOY HANDICAP.— (Second Section).—Winner \$750. Second. \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies classified "B" Class as at 31st December. 1.1 1.1 Six Furlongs.

Yick Chim's LANCASHIRE LASS 154 lb. (L. B. Chao) (D. Black) 1 Mrs. Stanton's OAK BAY 140 lb. (V. V. Needa) (F Marshall) 2 Lan's PEACEFUL VIEW 156 lb. (H. C. Pih)

> RACE 9 \$4,153.80 \$1,186.80 \$ 573.40

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 4344, 986, 1140, 3859, 5097, -1680,

10,-5.30 P.M.-WAKOOL HANDICAP.-Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies classifled "C" Class as at 31st December, 1939. Jockey Allowance, Entrance \$10. Six

Cocoa's VIOLET QUEEN 153 lb. (L. B. Chao)

RACE 10

\$4,009,60 No. 6125 \$1,145.00 Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 1005, 1137, 5693, 2335.

11.-6.00 P.M.-PERTH PLATE,-(Second Section) -- Winner \$1,000. Second \$400. Third \$250. For Australian Ponics, Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners 10 lb. penalty, Jockey Allowance, Entrance \$10. One Mile.

(G. P. Gram) Lucky's *LUCKY LADY 153 lb.

(H. J. A. Hearne)

Mrs. Eu Tong-sen's ALBURY 153 lb...

(C. N. Encarnacao)

* Dead Heat for First Place.

RACE 11

No. 3195 and 308 \$4,224.60 each ties accumulative. Entrance \$10., One Unplaced ponies (\$100 each): Nos. Mile. 27, 1155, 6106, 3428, 954, 1796, 768, (S. C. Liang) 1 808, 1581, 2441, 2485.

BELFAST I.R.A. Members Smash

RIOTS

Up A House

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BELFAST, Feb. 18 (UP) .-I.R.A. demonstrations caused considerable excitement Belfast to-day, when six members of the illegal organisation entered a house in Milton Street, which is in the Nationalist section of the city, and smashed windows and furniture after the occupants had allegedly refused to draw their blinds as a sign of mourning for Barton and Richards the two I.R.A., terrorists who had executed.

Hundreds of police were sent to the district to enforce a proclamation issued this morning by the Northern Ireland Minister for Home Affairs, Sir Dawson Bates.

The proclamation was made under special powers given in Ulster to take action in banning protest demonstra-

A similar ban last Sunday resulted in rioting in the course of which several were injured by police batons.

America Admires Altmark Exploit

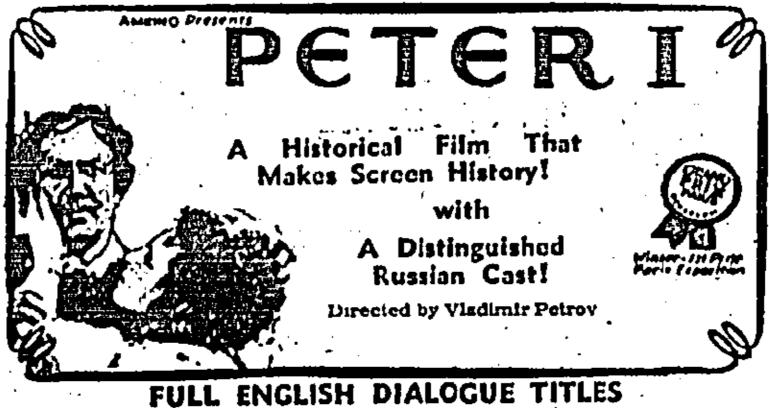
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (Reuler). -With the full story of the Altmark now known, doubts which were at first felt with regard to the propriety of the British action have now disappeared, leaving only admiration for the daring exploit, and the feeling that it was completely justified. A Paris report says that French public opinion supports the action of the British Admiralty with regard to the Altmark.

. The "Intransigeant" writes: "Once more Germany has been caught redhanded violating international law. Britain acted rightly for neutrality

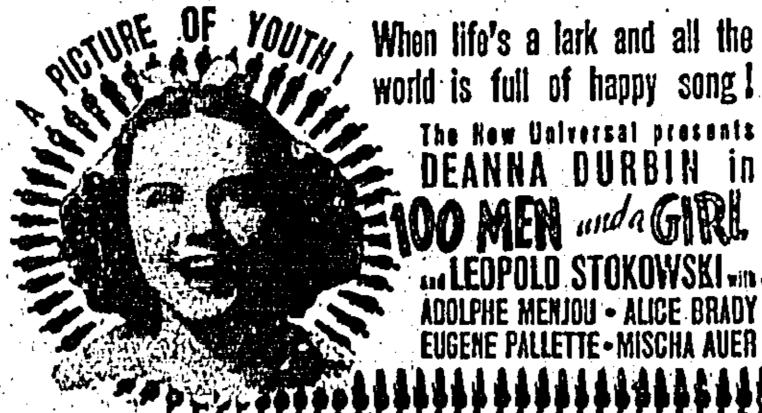
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LONDON, Feb. 19 (UP).—

the biggest munitions drive Britain tory, Stockholm, the Swedish capital. has undertaken, is quite distinct from was blacked out. the mobilisation for the fighting ser- This inaugurates a three-night test vices, in which something like 1,250,- of air raid precautions. 000 men are now engaged. The plans envisage a large-scale

portion of the 1,500,000 unemployed, including many "hard core" or permanently jobless.

women workers in, munitions and March 9. key industrial factories.

24-Year-Olds Called Many skilled craftsmen may be Office decides to speed up training to withdrawn from the armed forces to meet any possible activity on the meet the shortage of skilled labour

No Chances Stockholm Black-out

Makes History SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18 (UP). The British Government will -Sweden is taking no chances shortly announce details of a as a result of the dark hints far-reaching mobilisation of the thrown out by Germany conman-power of the United King- sequent upon the popular Swedish clamour to give support This mobilisation, which is in con-nection with what is described as To-night, for the first time in his-

redistribution of industrial labour on the home front. This will make and will involve a considerable pro- additional non-skilled jobs avail-

Meanwhile, mobilisation of the 1010 Class—the 24 year olds—has It will include the distribution of been advanced by three weeks to

It is expected to ensure that ample recruits will be available if the War Western Front.

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